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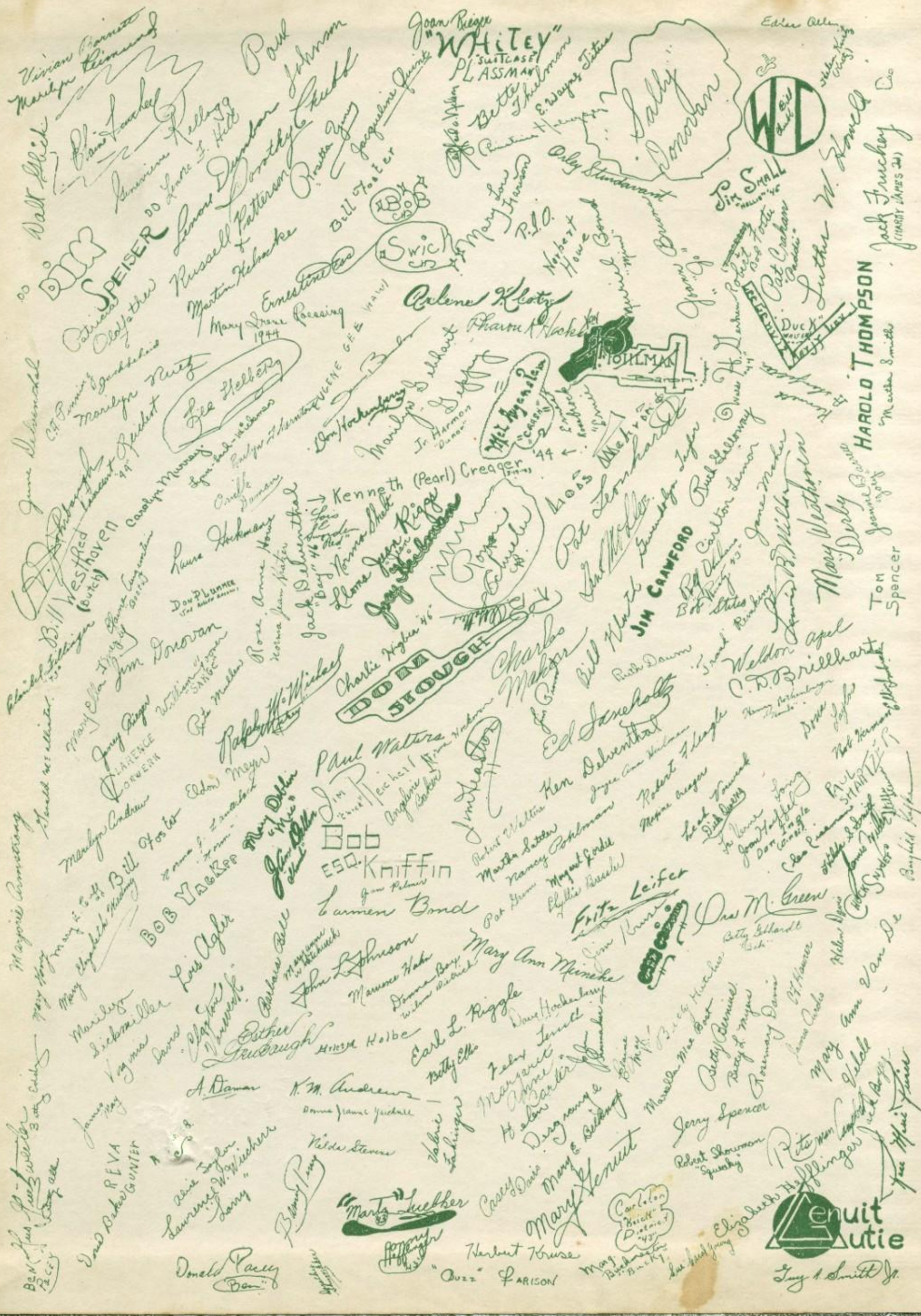
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We, the students of Napoleon High School, are deeply greatful to the Board of Education for their foresight and judgment in dealing with the many problems which confronted them during the year. The results of their efforts will become evident in the citizens of tomorrow.

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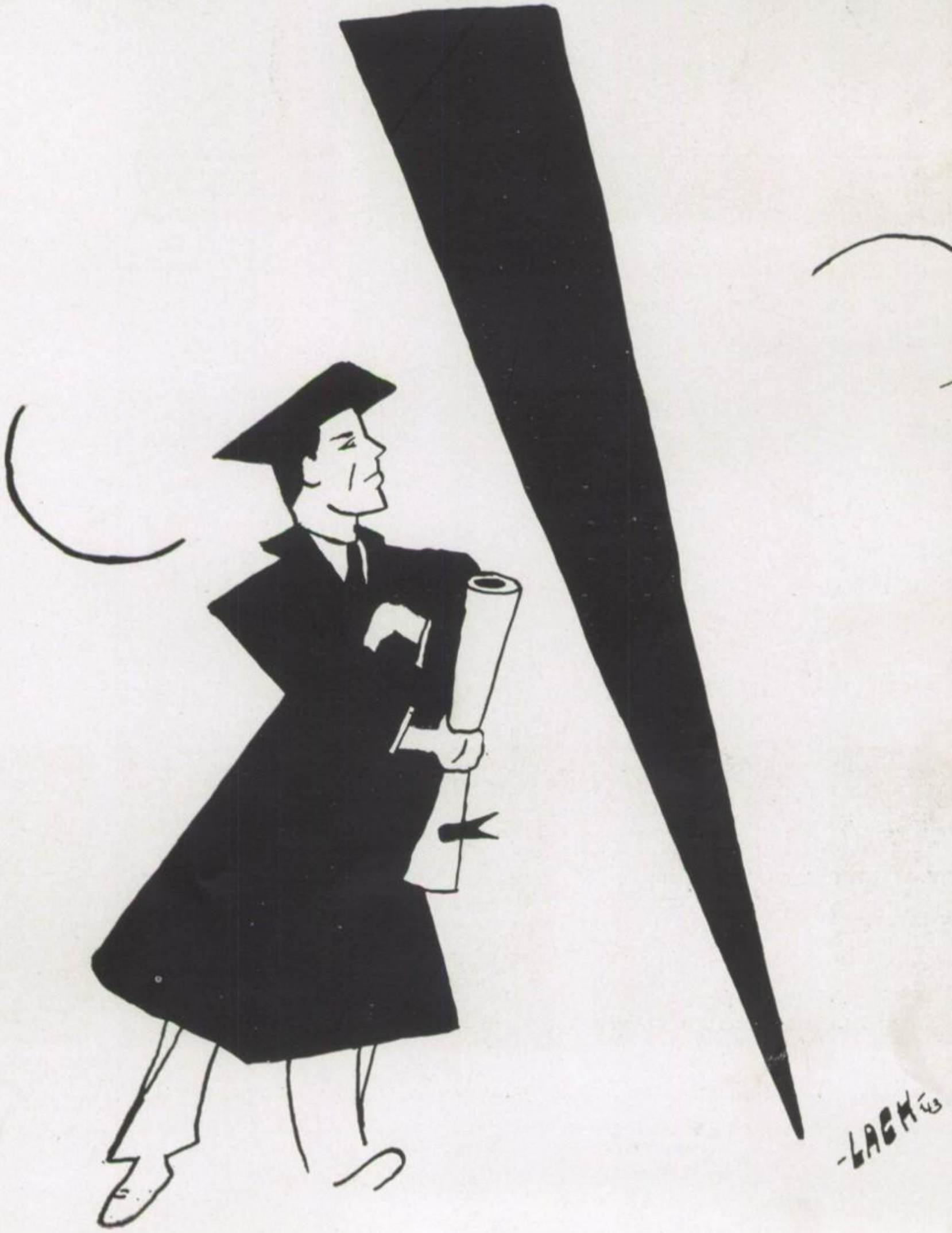

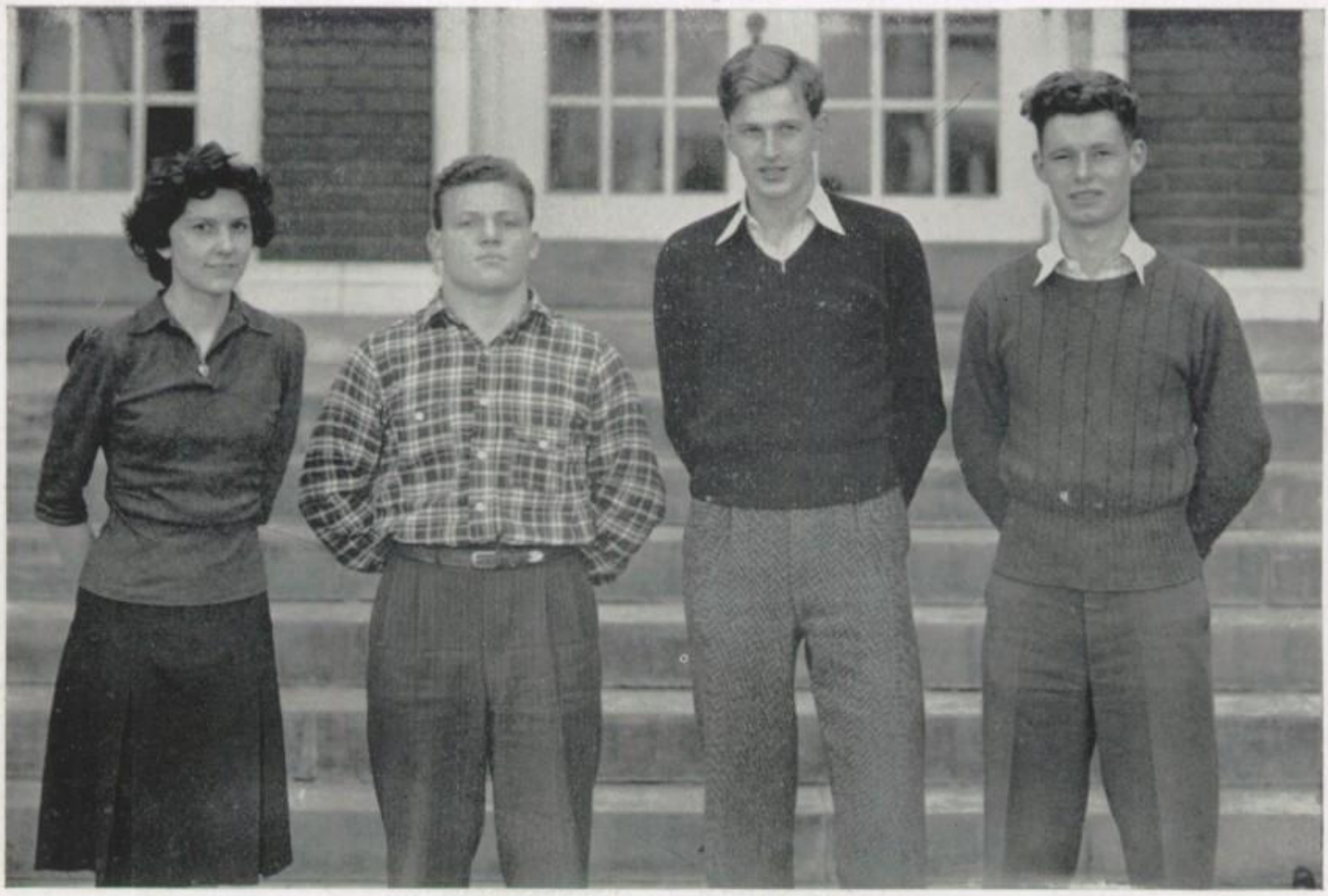

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If, four years ago, we were told, —"Look closely at the man on one side of you for only one half of you will be here to graduate in 1943," we would think the person was indeed telling us a farce. Well, four years have passed and from a relatively large class which entered these portals one fall day in 1939 only one half of that sum is to receive diplomas. Along with Uncle Sam, high wages of industry have thinned the ranks of our class.

I think it can be truthfully said that the class of '43 is the first war-trained class to disembark from this school and step into the dark world beyond, fully prepared to face it. We have been drilled in every essential thing needed by the citizens of tomorrow. In the future it can truly be said that the class of 1943 will play its part in winning the war and the everlasting peace to follow.

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Flower: Talisman Rose Color: Coral and Blue

Motto: One thing is forever good: That one thing is success

JUNIOR HARMON—*"Dunor"*—Agriculture Course: F. F. A. 1-2-3-4, Secretary 3-4.

"It's an easy world to live in if you choose to make it so."

VIVIAN BARNETT—*"Viv"*—Science Course 1-2-3; Commercial 4; Intramurals 2; G. R. 2-3-4; Glee Club 1-2-3, President 4; Basketball 2; College Club 3; F. H. A. 1; Operetta 4; Dramatic Club 2; Tennis 2; Science Club 3; Junior Red Cross, Vice President 3, President 4; G. A. A., Treasurer 2, Vice Presisdent 3; All Star Volley Ball 2; String Quartet 3.

"She knew what's what and that's as high as mortal wit can hope to fly."

JAMES SMITH—*"Smitty"*—Commercial Course; Intramurals 1-2-3-4; Class Play 4.

Jesters do oft prove prophets.

MARY ELLEN MENGERINK—*"Mi"*—Commercial Course.

"A dancing shape an image gay——To haunt, to startle and way lay."

KENNETH ASHENFELTER—*"Kenny"*—Science Course 1-2; Industrial Arts 3-4.

"The country is a place to find a man."

PHYLLIS BRESSLER—*"Pete"*—Commercial Course 1-2-3; General 4; Basketball 1-2-3-4; All Star Basketball 2; Sports Manager 1-2-3; G. A. A. 3-4.

"Dimples like small whirlpools in her cheeks".

VIRGIL CUPP—*"Virg"*—Ind. Arts Course; Operetta 4; Class Play 3-4.

"As silent as a sun dial."

ARLENE KLOTZ—College Course Intramurals 2-3; G. R. 1-2-3-4; Annual Staff 4; College Club 3; Debate 2-3-4; Band 1-2-3-4; News Staff 4; Study Hall Assistant 2-3, Class Play 3; Dramatic Club 2; Class Officer 1; Noon Movie Usher 2-3, Junior Red Cross 3-4; Science Club 3; Projectionist 2-3-4; Library Assistant 1-2-3; Debate Club 3; G. A. A. 3; Home Room Assistant 1.

"Witty, hasty, very clever; Is she ever quiet?—Never!"

ELDIN IMBROOK—Vocational Agriculture Course; Hall Monitor 4; Glee Club 4; F. F. A. 1, Secretary 2, Treasurer 3, Vice President 4; Intramurals 4.

"Words were to him like carrier pigeons—to be released only singly and in some emergency."

GLADYS WALKER—Commercial Course 1-2-3; Home Ec. 4; Basketball 1-2-3-4; Sports Manager 1-2-3-4; F. H. A. 1-4; School Notes Typist 4; Code Typist 3; G. A. A. 3-4.

"She talks like a revolving door".

HOWARD DEHNBOSTEL —*"Howdy"*—Commercial Course; Intramurals 1-4; Reserve Basketball 2.

'Mud thrown is ground lost."

MARJORIE ARMSTRONG—*"Marge"*—College Course; Intramurals 1-2-3-4; G. R. 1-2-3-4; Hall Monitor 2; Glee Club 1-2; Basketball 1-2-3-4; Annual Staff 4; College Club 3; Debate 3; Band 2-3-4; News Staff 4; Operetta 1; Dramatic Club 2; Science Club 3; Jr. Red Cross 3-4; All Star Basketball 2; Library Assistant; G. A. A. 2-3-4, President 4.

"It's nice to be natural, when your naturally nice."

GERALD GURZTWEILER—*Gus*—Ind. Arts Course; Football 1-2-3-4; Basketball 1-2-3; Track 1-2-3-4, N-Club 3-4; Intramurals 1-2-3-4; Glee Club 4; Home Room Assistant 4.

"When in doubt punt, when sleepy——sleep."

HELEN J. MANN—Home Ec. Course; F. H. A. 1-2-3-4; Basketball 1-2-3; G. A. A. 3; G. R. 1.

"Attractive to the oomph degree."

MARGIE GENE FRUCHEY—*"Marge"*—Science Course 1; Commercial 2-3-4; Basketball 1-2-3-4; G. R. 1-2-3-4; Hall Monitor 4, Glee Club 1-2-3-4; Bank 1-2-3-4; News Staff 4; F. H. A. 1-2; A Capella Choir 3; Mixed Choir 4; Sports Manager 1-2-3; G. A. A. 3-4.

"Let's be pleasant to each other. We're all having a dreadful time."

DAVID HOCKENBERRY—*Dave*—Science Course; Malinta-Grelton School 1-2; Intramurals 3-4; Football 3-4; Basketball 3; Glee Club 4; Operetta 4; N-Cub 4; Mixed Choir 4.

"His life is an open book and he likes to read out of it."

DONALD G. W. PACEY—*"Ben"*—Commercial Course 1-2; General 3; Ind. Arts 4; Intramurals 1-2-3-4; Football 4; N-Club 4; Jr. Red Cross 4.

"Genius is the ability to avoid hard work."

BETTY CREAGER—*"Tiz"*—Commercial Course; Annual Staff 4; College Club 3; Study Hall Assistant 4; Activity Ticket Collector 4; Code Staff 3.

"Her eyes were rhapsodies in blue."

NORMA SHELT — Commercial Course; Glee Club 4; Code Staff 3; Annual Staff 4; Band 1-2-3-4; Study Hall Assistant 2; F. H. A. 1; Operetta 4; Class Play Usher 3; Jr. Red Cross 4; District Music Contest 2.

"Among the girls she's tall and fair —Her like you'll not find everywhere."

JOHN RICHARD MOTTER—*"Dick"*—Ind. Arts Course; Football 1-2-3-4; Co-Captain 4; Basketball 1; Intramurals 1-2-3-4; Track 1-2-3; Class Treasurer 3; N-Club 3-4; Glee Club 4.

"I will not excuse; I will not retreat a single inch, and I will be heard."

JAMES CURDES—*"Zeke"*—Science Course 1; Ind. Arts 2-3-4; Intramurals 1-2-3; Football 1-2; Track 1-2; Glee Club 4; Mixed Choir 4; Operetta 4; Activity Ticket Collector 4.

"As genuine as a thumb print"

ROSE ANNE HOWE—Commercial Course; Class Secretary 4; G. R. 2-3, Treasurer 4; Movie Usher 3; Code Typist 3; Home Room Monitor 3; Jr. Red Cross 4; Glee Club 2-4; Annual Staff 4; Operetta 1-4; National Honor Society 3-4; Mixed Choir 4.

"Gracious as the dip of a dancing wave."

LAURA HOCKMAN—*"Hocky"*—Commercial Course; G. R. 1-2-3, Glee Club 2-4; Basketball 1; Band 1-2-3; F. H. A. 1-2-3; Dramatic Club 2; Jr. Red Cross 3; All Star Manager 3; G. A. A. 2-3-4; Mixed Choir 4.

"Not too happy, not too glum, just the one to be your chum."

TOM SPENCER—Science Course; Class Play 3; News Staff 4; Hall Monitor 2.

"Never do today what you can put off until tomorrow."

LAWRENCE WIECHERS—*Larry*—Ind. Arts Course; Football 1-2-3-4; Glee Club 4; Mixed Choir 4; Operetta 4; Intramurals 1-2-3-4; N-Club 2-3-4; Jr. Red Cross ; All League Fullback 4.

"Life is a game of football with time out for dating."

EDRAS ALLEN—*"Ee Ee"*—Home Economics Course 3-4; Science 1-2; G. R. 1; Study Hall Assistant 1-2-3, F. H. A. 2-3, Secretary 1, Treasurer 4; Basketball 1; Library Assistant 2.

"Quiet at times perhaps she may be, 'twere better some others were quiet as she."

LLOMA JEAN RIGGS—*"Sis or Jean"*—Commercial Course; Glee Club 2-3-4; Code Typist 3; Intramurals 1-2; Activity Ticket Collector 2; Home Room Monitor 3; Class Play Usher 3; Movie Usher 4; Jr. Red Cross 4; Annual Staff 4; Operetta Business Manager 4.

"She looks sweet enough to be rationed."

HAROLD THOMPSON—Science Course 1-2; Ind. Arts 3-4; Chemistry Club 3; Hi-Y 4; Operetta 4; Glee Club 4.

"I don't tell white lies; mine are in technicolor."

ROBERT KNIFFIN—*"Bob"*—Science Course; Annual Staff 1-2-3-4; News Staff 4; Class Play 3; Student Council 1-2-3; Class Officer 1; Jr. Red Cross 3.

"Rare compound of oddity, frolic, and fun. Who relished a joke and rejoiced in a pun."

GERTRUDE PARSELS—*Curley*—F. H. A. 1-2-3-4, Treasurer 3; Noon Movie Usher 2-3.

"Single bliss may be sweet, but why not double sweetness?"

ROBERT DILLE—*"Bob"*—Industrial Arts Course 2-3-4; Deshler High School 1; Deshler Band 1; Napoleon Band 2-3.

"Better a witty fool than a foolish wit."

MARY ELLEN CUFF—*"Cuffie"*—College Course; G. R. 1-2-3-4 Vice President 3, Program Chairman 4; Hall Monitor 2; Glee Club 1-2 Basketball 1-2; Annual Staff 4; College Club 3; News Staff 4; Study Hall Assistant 4; F. H. A. 4; Class Play 3; Dramatic Club 2; Activity Ticket Collector 2; Science Club 3; Jr. Red Cross 3-4; Library Assistant 2; G. A. A. 3.

"A girl with pep and zeal to do most anything we ask her to."

RICHARD HARRINGTON—Industrial Arts Course; Hi-Y 2-3-4; Intramurals 2.

"He takes his blame like a man. he blames it on his wife."

JUNE DELVENTHAL—*"Half Pint"*—Commercial Course; Intramurals 1-2; G. R. 2-3-4; Class Play 3; Activity Ticket Collector 2-3; Cheer Leader 2-3-4; Study Hall Assistant 2; Tablet seller 4; F. H. A. 1.

"A good line is the shortest distance between two dates."

THOMAS BOYD—*"Tom"*—Ind. Arts Course; Football 1-2-3-4; Basketball 1-2-3-4; Intramurals 1-2-3-4; Hall Monitor 1; Glee Club Secretary 4; N-Club 3-4.

"The best dressed man today is one in uniform."

CARMEN BOND—*"Cocky"*—Science Course; G. R. 1-2-3-4, President 4; Glee Club 1-2-3-4; Code Staff 3; Annual Staff 4; Study Hall Assistant 4; F. H. A. 1-2; President 2; Operetta 1-4; Class Play 3; A Capella Choir 3; Dramatic Club 2; Tennis 2; Student Council 1-2; Class Officer 2-3; Science Club 3; Jr. Red Cross 3-4; President 3; National Honor Society 3-4; District Music Contest 2; State Musical Contest 2.

"It is not wise to be wiser than necessary."

ROLF OBERHAUS—*"Rusty"*—Industrial Arts Course; Hall Monitor 1-2-3; Glee Club 4; Code Staff 2; Operetta 4.

"He thinks by infection; catching an opinion is like a cold."

ROSEMARY DAVIS—*"Rosie"*—Commercial Course 1; Home Ec. 2-3-4; G. R. 1-2; Basketball 1-3-4; F. H. A. 1-2-3-4; Movie Usher 1-3.

"In gentle looks and talent rare none can surpass and few compare."

JOHN DIETRICH—*"Johnny"*—Science Course 1-2; Commercial 3-4; Intramurals 1-4; Reserve Basketball 2.

"Time tells on a man, especially a good time."

NORMA JEAN KRATZER—Commercial Course; Glee Club 1-2-4; Code 3; College Club 3; G. A. A. 3; Home Room Activity Collector 3; Movie Usher 4; Jr. Red Cross 4; Annual Staff 4; Operetta 4.

"It is better to be small and shine than to be large and cast a shadow."

ERNEST ROSEBROCK—*"Ernie"*—Industrial Arts Course; Intramurals 2-4; Shop Assistant Instructor 4; Boy's Glee Club 4; Operetta 4.

"How lucky I am—whenever I make a mistake, everybody finds it."

JOAN HEILMAN—*"Joey"*—Science Course; G. R. 2-3-4, Secretary 2; Hall Monitor 2; Glee Club 1-2-3-4; Trio 4; Sextet 4; Code Staff 2; Annual Staff 4; College Club 3; News Staff 4; Class Play 3; Operetta 1-4; A Capella Choir 3; Dramatic Club 2; Activity Ticket Collector 1; Science Club 3; Jr. Red Cross 3; Intramurals 2.

"Better late than never, but better never late."

ROSE MARIE REISER—*"Beuze"*—Science Course: G. R. 2: F. H. A. 4: Chemistry Club 3: Dramatic Club 2: Jr. Red Cross 3-4: Basketball 4.

"Time flieth, 'tis said: but when I am afar from thee, friend He flieth with a wounded feather."

MAX MINNICH—*"Pid"*—College Course: N-Club 1-2-3-4: Science Club 3: College Club 3: Debate 4: Intramurals 1-2-3-4: Football 1-2-3-4: Basketball 1-2-3-4: Annual Staff 4: News Staff 4: Class Play 3: Jr. Red Cross 4: Mixed Choir 4: All League Quarterback 4: Operetta 4.

"His education is only pigskin deep."

RAY FARISON—*"Buz"*—Science Course 1: Commercial Course 2: Industrial Arts Course 3-4: Intramurals 2-3-4: Football 1-2-3: Track 1-2-3-4: N-Club 3-4.

"Men of few words are the best men."

MARILYN ANDREW—*"Andy"*—Commercial Course: Hall monitor 3: Glee Club 1-2-3: F. H. A. Officer 1: Class Play 3: A Capella Choir 3: Dramatic Club 2.

"Her tongue is like a wheel; one spoke after another."

PATRICIA ANN LEONHARDT—*"Pat"*—Science Course: G. R. 1-2-3-4: Hall Monitor 4: Annual Staff 4: College Club Secretary 3: Study Hall Assistant 1-4: F. H. A. 1-2. President of Northwestern Ohio 2: Class Play 3: Dramatic Club 2: Science Club Treasurer 3: Jr. Red Cross 3-4.

"She is pretty to walk with, witty to talk with and pleasant to think on."

LUTHER L. GENUIT—*'Lute'*—College Course: Hall Monitor 4: Glee Club 2-4: Annual Staff 4: Dramatics Club President 2: Student Council 2-3: Class Officer 2: Activity Ticket Collector 2: National Honor Society 3-4: Mixed Choir 4: Operetta 4.

"The best, bad, brightest boy."

MARTIN B. LUEBKER—*Marty*—Vocational Agriculture Course: Malinta-Grelton School 1-2: Intramurals 3-4: Football 3-4: Hall Monitor 3-4: Track 3: Debate 3-4: F. F. A. 3-4: N-Club 3-4: All League Tackle 4.

"Never hit a man when he's down. He might get back up."

CAROLYN CASTEEL—*"Soapy"*—Commercial Course: Annual Staff 4: College Club 3: F. H. A. 1-2: Class Play 3: Dramatic Club 2: Activity Ticket Collector 1: Glee Club 1: Intramurals 1.

"She's in her anecdotage."

BETTY BERNIUS—*"Bernie"*—Commercial Course: Basketball 1-2-4: Class Play 3: Dramatic Club 2: Library Assistant 3.

"It matters more what's in a woman's face than what's on it."

WILLIAM HOOVER—*"Sarge"*—Commercial Course 1: Ind. Arts 2-3-4: Football Manager 4: Intramurals 1-2-3-4: Stage Manager for Class Play 3.

"Most men are perfect, take me for example."

VIRGIL FRUTH — Commercial Course: Intramurals 1-2-3: Debate 3: Class Play 3: Movie Projectionist 2.

"Sometimes a man with a clear conscience has a poor memory."

MARCELLA HOFFMAN—*Skip*—College Course: Glee Club 1-2-4: Band 1-2-3-4: Librarian 2-3-4: Study Hall Assistant 2-3: Operetta 1-4: Orchestra 1-2-3. President 4: Noon Movie Usher 2-3: Jr. Red Cross 4: District Music Contest 2: State Music Contest 2: Mixed Chorus 4: Dramatic Club 2.

"A comfortable humor that tickles without scratching."

MARTHA SMITH—*"Mart"*—General Course: F. H. A. 1-2.

"Smoke-ring calmness."

DONALD GUNTER—*"Mose"*—Ind. Arts Course: Class Play Prompter 3: Jr. Red Cross 3.

"A classmate honest and true, and furthermore a worker too."

WILLIAM WESTHOVEN—*'Red'*—Science Course; Hi-Y 2-3, Vice President 4; Glee Club President 4; Chemistry Club President 3; Class Vice President 3-4; Football 1-2-3-4; Basketball 1-2-3-4; Track 1-2-3-4; College Club Treasurer 3; N-Club 3-4; Intramurals 1-2-3-4; Class Play 3; Jr. Red Cross 3-4; News Staff 4; Annual Staff 4; Operetta 4.

He's a leader of men and a follower of women.

MARILYN JEANNE REIMUND—College Course 1-2; Commercial 3-4; Girls Basketball 1; G. R. 2.

"She's witty and wise and easy on eyes."

CARLETON DIETRICK—*Keich* Ind. Arts Course; Intramurals 1-2-3-4; Hall Monitor 2.

One does not make friends, one recognizes them.

LOIS I. SWORDEN—*Red*—Commercial Course; Activity Ticket Collector 3-4; Study Hall Assistant 4; Annual Staff 4; Code 3; School Notes Typist 3-4; Home Room Assistant 4; F. H. A. 1; Intramurals 1.

Her brain is like a pin cushion, stuck full of things to do.

WALTER MEYER—Ind. Arts Course; Florida high school 1; Glee Club 4; Class Play 3; Operetta 4.

No man who is in a hurry is quite civilized.

VALIETA WITTENBERG—*"Bunny"*—Commercial Course; Glee Club 2; Noon Movie Usher 3; Jr. Class Play Usher 3.

She was more fair than words can say.

HENRY ROTHENBERGER—*"Hank"*—Commercial Course.

Nothing can be more useful to a man than a determination not to be hurried.

JEAN KRAUSS—Commercial; Intramurals 1-2-3; Library Assistant 1; G. R. 2; F. H. A. 2-3; Officer 2; Hall Monitor 2; Dramatic Club 2; G. A. A 3;

Deep blue eyes, like two teaspoonsful of Mediterranean.

FREDERICK POHLMAN—*Fritz, Baron, Von*—Science Course; Class Pres. 1-2-3-4; Student Council 1-2-3, Vice Pres., 3; Hi-Y 2-3-4, Pres 4; Band 1-2-3-4, Pres. 4; Basketball 2-3-4; Reserve Basketball 1-2; Hall Monitor 2; Glee Club 4; Annual Staff 4; College Club 3; News Staff 4; Operetta 4; Class Play 3; Mixed Choir 4; Tennis 2; N-Club 3-4, National Honor Society 3-4; Intramurals 1-2-3.

Be silent and pass for a philosopher.

DONNA DAVIS — *"Blondie"*—Commercial Course; Girl's Basketball 1-2; F. H. A. 1-2; Glee Club 2.

Her ways are quiet but friendly

ROBERT FLEAGLE—*"Pickles"*—Science Course; Weston High School 1; Intramurals 3-4; Glee Club 4; Operetta 4; Mixed Choir 4.

Let him live to be one hundred. We want him on earth.

EVELYN LANGE—Commercial Course; Activity Ticket Collector 4; Girl's Basketball 2-3; Annual Staff 4; Code 3; Noon Movie Usher 2-3-4; Jr. Class Play Usher 3; G. A. A. 3.

She has a lot of freight on a train of thought.

DONALD STOUGH — Science Course; Intramurals 2-3-4; Hi-Y 2-3-4; Jr. Class Treasurer; Property Manager Class Play 3; News Staff 4; Annual Staff 4; Science Club 3.

He's nice, even to people who can't do him a favor.

GLENDORA BLAIR—*"Dorie"*—Commercial Course 1-2; General 3-4; Intramurals 1-2-3-4; Hall Monitor 4; Girl's Assistant 3; F. H. A. 1-4; All Star Basketball 3; G. A. A. 3-4.

A winning grace her every act defined.

HILDA S. SMITH—*"Smitty"*—Commercial Course 1-2; General 3; Home Ec. 4; Girl's Basketball 1-2-3-4; F. H. A. 1; Glee Club 2; G. A. A. 3-4.

And "they" lived happily ever after.

EDWARD HANCOCK—*"Eddie"*—Industrial Arts Course; Track 1-2-3-4. Manager; Football Manager 3-4; Jr. Class Play 3; N-Club 4; Intramurals 1-2-3-4.

No man ever learned anything by staying at home.

JOAN RIEGER—*"Joey"*—Commercial Course; G. R. 2-3-4; Hall Monitor 4; Glee Club 1-2-3-4; Sextet 4; Trio 4; Annual Staff 4; College Club 3; Operetta 1-4; Class Play 3; A Capella Choir 4; Dramatic Club 2; Mixed Choir 4; Activity Ticket Collector 1; Jr. Red Cross 3-4; Home Room Monitor 2.

One should not neglect ones education for one's studies.

RUSSELL AGLER—*"Dewey"*—Commercial Course 1-2; Industrial Arts 3-4; Intramurals 1-2-3-4; Football 4; Manager 1-2-3; Hi-Y 2.

He is a man devoted to his cause.

CLARIBEL FILLINGER—*Clairy*—College Course; G. R. 2-3-4; Glee Club 1-2-4; Girl's Basketball 2-3; College Club 3; Band 1-2-3-4; News Staff 4; F. H. A. 4; Mixed Choir 4; Operetta 4; Dramatic Club 2; Sextet 4; Trio 4; Orchestra 4; Science Club 3; Jr. Red Cross 3-4; G. A. A. 3; District Music Contest 2; State Music Contest 2.

"Eat drink and be merry for tomorrow we diet."

RAYMOND DACHENHAUS—"Ray"—Agriculture Course 1-2. Commercial 3. Ind. Arts 4; Intramurals 1-2-3-4; Glee Club 4; F. F. A. 1-2; Operetta 4.

A quiet, knowing, country lad.

MARTHA DIETRICH—*"Mart"*—Commercial Course; Library Assistant 1-2; Class Play 3; Dramatic Club 2.

Women are wiser than men because they know less and understand more.

RONALD HEFFLINGER—*Ronny*—Vocational Agriculture Course; intramurals 1-2-3-4; Football 1-2-3, Co-Captain 4; Hall Monitor 4; Track 1-3; Glee Club 1, Secretary 4; F. F. A. 1-2-3, Reporter 4; President 4; Hi-Y 3-4; Class Treas. 4; N-Club 2-3-4; Jr. Red Cross 4; Mixed Choir 4; All League Football 3-4; Operetta 4.

"A handy man with a sense of humus."

BETTY L. MEYERS—*"Bett's"*—Commercial course 1; Home Economics 2-3-4 F. H. A. 1-2-4, Secretary 3; Movie Usher 2-3; G. R. 3.

Her mind is like a sun dial; It records only pleasantness.

LEON GENUIT—*"Lee"*—Science Course; Intramurals 1-2-3-4; Glee Club 4; Annual Staff 4; News Staff 4; Operetta 4; Class Play 3; Reserve Basketball 2.

"When love and duty clash let duty go to smash."

VIVIAN MAHLER — *"Viv"*—College Course; G. A. A. 2-3-4; G. R. 1-2-3-4; College Club 3; Science Club 3; Glee Club 1-2-4; Hall Monitor 2; Girl's Basketball 1-2-3-4; Annual Staff 4; News Staff 4; Operetta 1-4; Class Play 3; Dramatic Club 3; Sports Manager 4; Jr. Red Cross 3-4; All Star Basketball 2-4.

"I could be better if I would, but its awfully lonesome being good."

CLAYTON W. VORWERK—"C. V."—Science Course; Intramurals 2-3-4; Glee Club 2-4; College Club 3; Class Play 3; Boys Quartet 4; Science Club 3; Jr. Red Cross 4; News Staff 4; Operetta 4.

"Slow but Sure".

LEONA MILLER—*"Lee"*—Commercial Course; Girl's Basketball 2-3; Study Hall Assistant 2; F. H. A. 1; G. A. A. 3.

For even though vanquished she could argue still.

CHARLES BUCKMASTER—*"Bucky"*—Science Course; Intramurals 1; Student Council 1-2-3; Jr. Red Cross 3-4.

He is a man of a few thousand words.

Corny Huskers
Play Ball?
Four Luscious Gals

A Bicycle Built For Three
Bring In The Scrap
V For Victory

Refueling
Surprised
Posed (Eddie Is Working)

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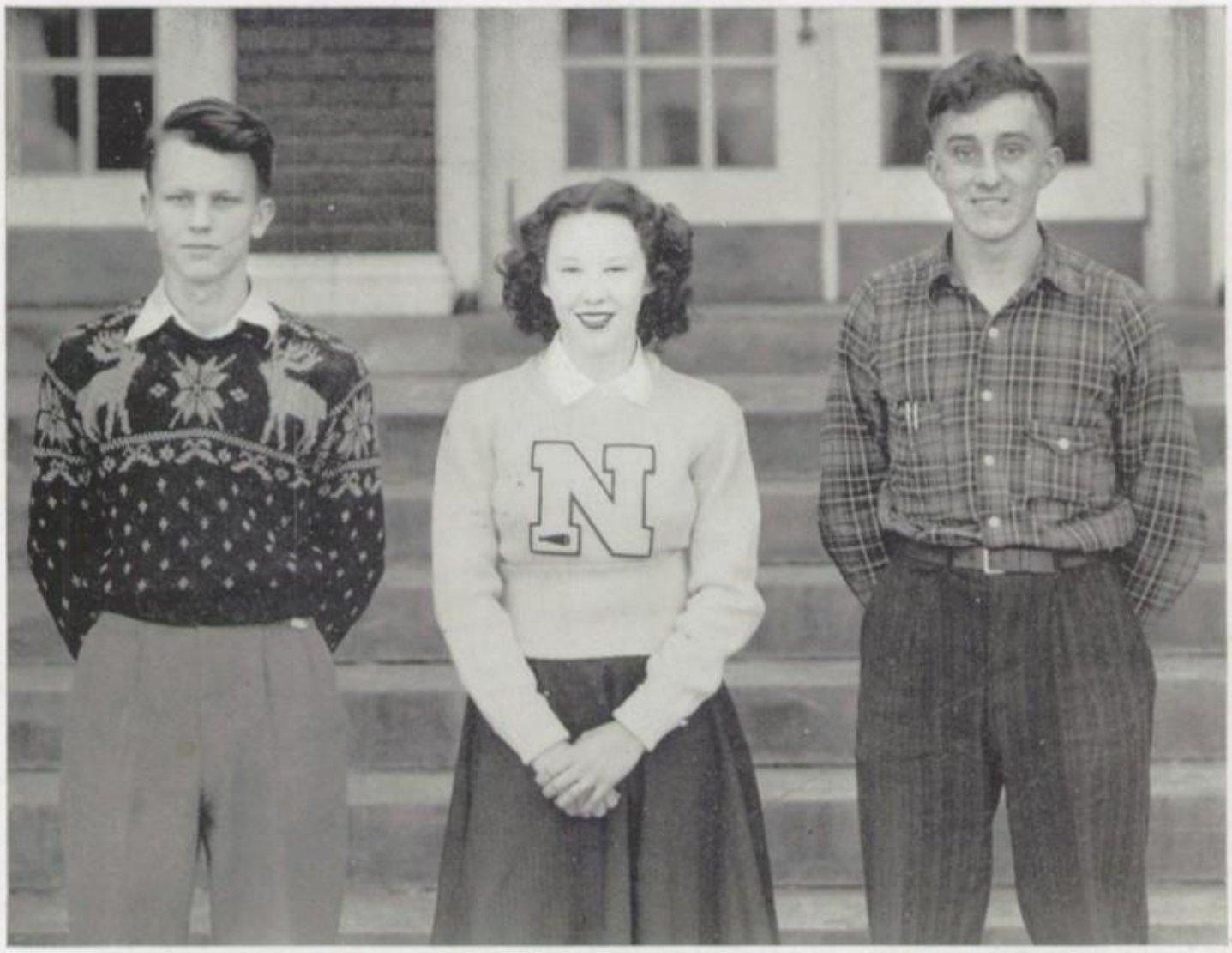

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When we entered as freshmen we looked upon the four years ahead of us as a long period of time; but now, almost overnight, we find ourselves at the end of our junior year.

These three years have been filled with the pleasure of studying and working together, with participation in the various school activities, and with the joys of friendships formed as we grew up together. It would be well for each of us, looking back over our first three years, to check our course with our aims and goals, before beginning our senior year.

From now on we should take our activities and studies more seriously because of world conditions. "Service" has become the keynote for most activities in our country at this time. May each member of the class of 1944 be alert to whatever service he or she can give.

ROBERT FOSTER.

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W. Glick
M. Sturdavant
D. Smith

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B. Bell
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M. Desgrange
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A. Knepley
F. LeRuth

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V. Reichert
D. Luebker
R. Foster
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M. Dulle
R. Harmon
B. Little
J. Fruchey

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B. Thielman
W. Foster
L. Russell
D. Huddle
D. Box

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D. Barnes
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W. Wittenberg
D. Stout
J. Miller

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M. Meek
E. Hefflinger
D. Ingle

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G. Taylor
W. Gerken
M. Roessing

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N. Howe
M. Buckmaster
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K. Creager
R. Mullen
R. Shiarla

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E. Vajen
E. Saneholtz
W. Dietrich
R. Beard
A. Taylor

8th row:

R. Huddle
R. Stites
P. Walters
D. Kirian

Give Me A Bite
The End
Who Is She Bob?

Football Hero
Censored
Carmen

Football or Jujitsu?
Over the Top
Nothing Less Than An A

President - - - - - - -	Guy Cmith
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The class of '45 has attained a part of the high school life of which it has long dreamed. The Sophomore Class maintained a high standard of scholarship and took part in the following extra-curricular activities; Hi-Y, G. R., F. F. A., F. H. A., Glee Club and the newly formed Victory Corps.

This year the class has taken a part in the athletic program. The boys have gained regular positions on the football and basketball teams, and the girls have participated in basketball and intramural sports.

The Sophomore Class sincerely believes that it has contributed its share to the high school activities of the year, and is looking forward to the school years to come.

GUY SMITH.

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M. Ritz
B. Wright
D. Chubb
L. Groll
R. Wirick

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O. Ingle
D. Rohrbaugh
R. Miller
E. Meyer

3rd row:

R. Loudon
W. Chubb
P. Hagans
J. Hefflinger
M. Dille

4th row:

L. Gunn
M. Huddle
F. Leifer
M. Hahn
A. Baker

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E. Reiser
E. Scarr
E. Hoover
J. Davis
R. Blair

6th row

J. Crawford
J. Heilman
J. Donovan
P. Ott
J. Kruse

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E. Nelson
B. Kluth
N. Hockman
O. Meyer
E. Schultz

8th row:

K. Wichers
K. Knepley
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M. Schwab
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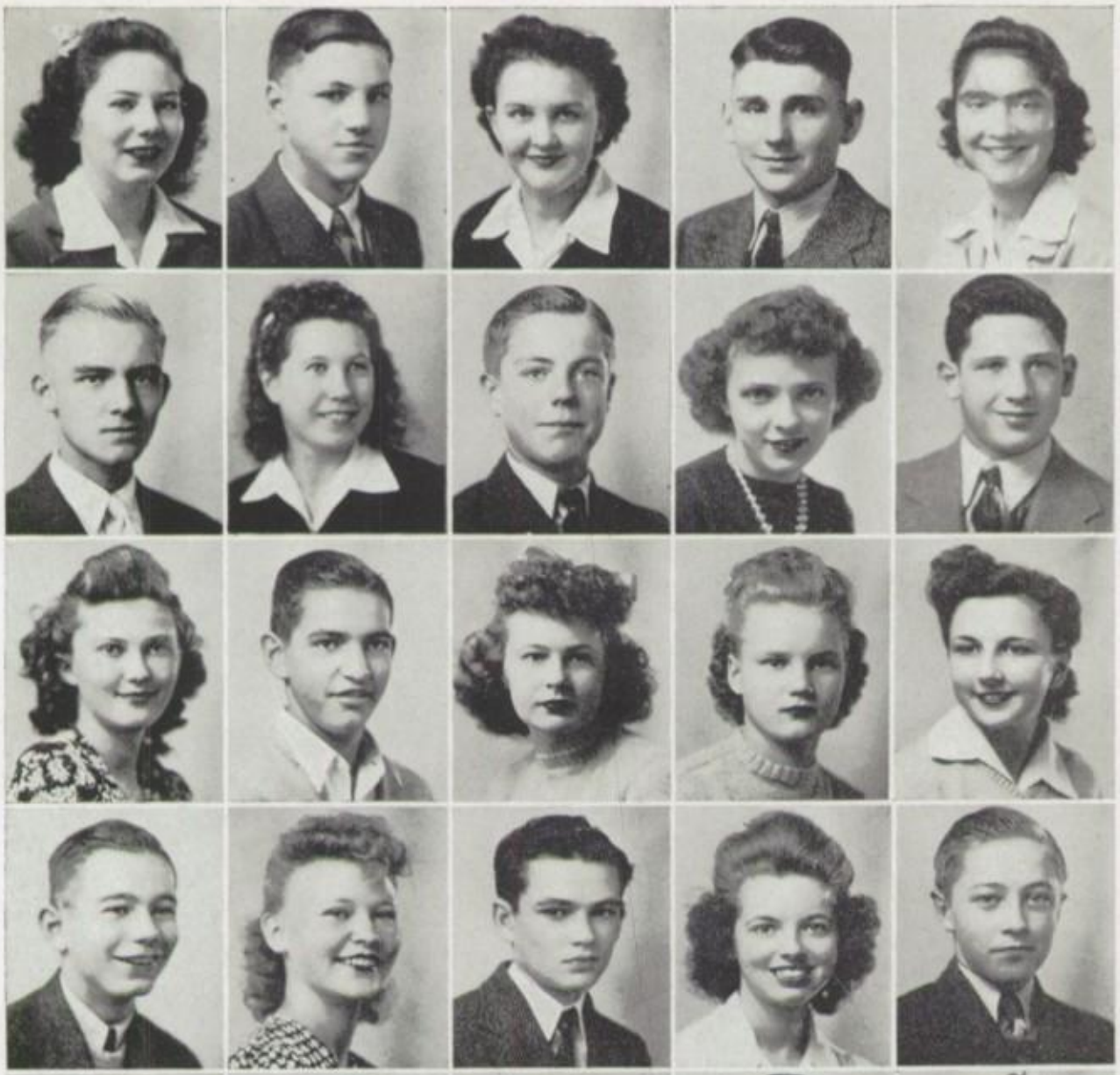

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B. Barrett
C. Maher
R. Thompson

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D. Vajen
J. Holden
M. Walters
M. Augenstein

3rd row:

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B. Walters
L. Thompson
J. Deblin
A. Wendt

4th row

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H. Rohdy
G. Campbell
R. Daum
R. McMichael

5th row:

E. Elling
R. Yackee
J. Hoeffel
D. Weeks
J. Ratzlaff

6th row:

F. Pacey
I. Farison
D. Blair
B. Gebhardt
F. Keller

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D. Baker
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D. Plassman
L. Miller

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B. Sausser

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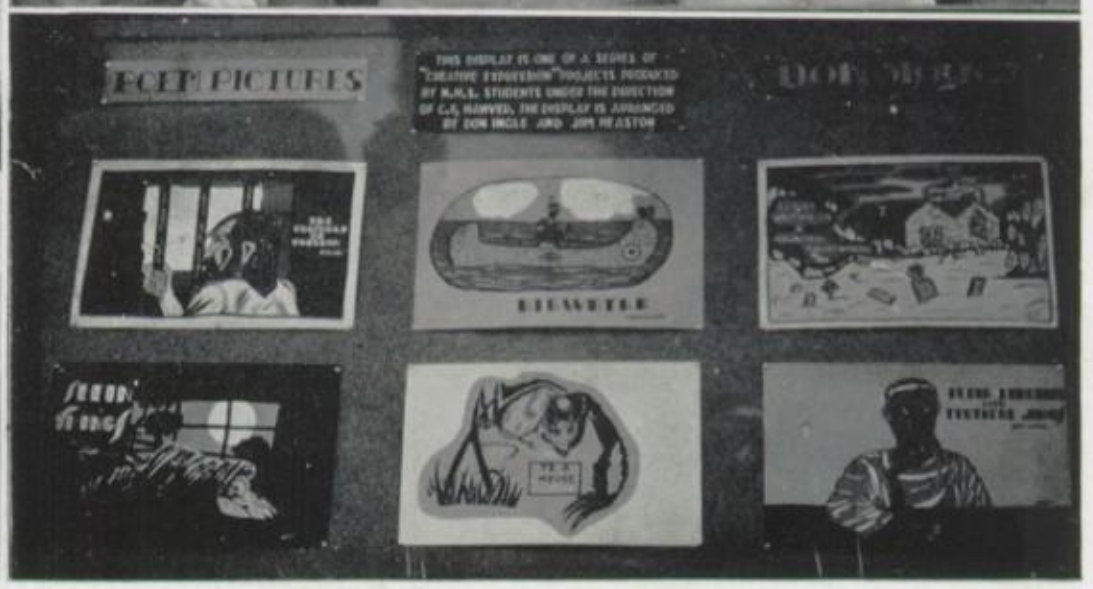
J. Spencer



Yea, Team! Let's Go.

Hold It

Machinist

Three Old Maids

Service With A Smile

103 Presents

President - - - - - -	Lee Helberg
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Treasurer - - - - -	Lewis Koppenhofer

September 7, 1943 was the date of our entrance into high school. A milestone in our lives had been reached. We were freshman in high school. There were ninety members in our class, all entering school with a zest for new adventure. Our class was well represented in the band, the football team, and several of the boys played on the reserve basketball team. This year there was a special interest taken in the Glee Club and many of our members took part in this activity and also in the operetta, "H. M. S. Pinafore." Many of our members took part in the Girl Reserves and the Jr. Red Cross. Our class aided the war effort by buying war stamps and bonds, by helping in the scrap drive and some of our members joined the Victory Corps. Our grades were good and our standing was high.

We have enjoyed our first year in high school very much and we look forward with sincere pleasure to the three which follow. We shall strive to achieve new goals and we shall leave school with the satisfaction of having done our job well.

LEE HELBERG.

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E. Hegle
E. Fruchey
Wm. Klotz
M. Connolly
N. Cupp

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M. Carter
R. Campbell
O. Leedy
G. Kruse
S. Donovan

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D. Dackenhaus
B. Little
P. Crahan
J. Delventhal

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W. Oberhaus
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P. Plotts
R. Burkholder
L. Dunbar
L. Helberg

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M. Panning
H. Hoover
J. Meek
D. Wittenberg
M. Wieding
F. Plassman

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R. Heuter
R. Weirauch
R. Patterson
D. Kraegel
O. Ashenfelter
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G. Riggs
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E. Miller
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C. Hedges

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R. Howe
R. Schueler
J. Rieger
J. Young
L. Ordway

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C. Higbea
P. Bernius
O. Schlosser

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A. Baker
A. Perry
H. Elling

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J. Provost
I. Spencer
R. Murray
J. Barrett

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M. Helmke
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N. Brown
M. Creager
J. Boyer

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E. Ellingwood
F. Reinking
M. Meinke
B. Willeman
M. Genuit

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E. Keller
M. Hovey
E. Van Streader
L. Shelt
C. Lemon
N. Anderson

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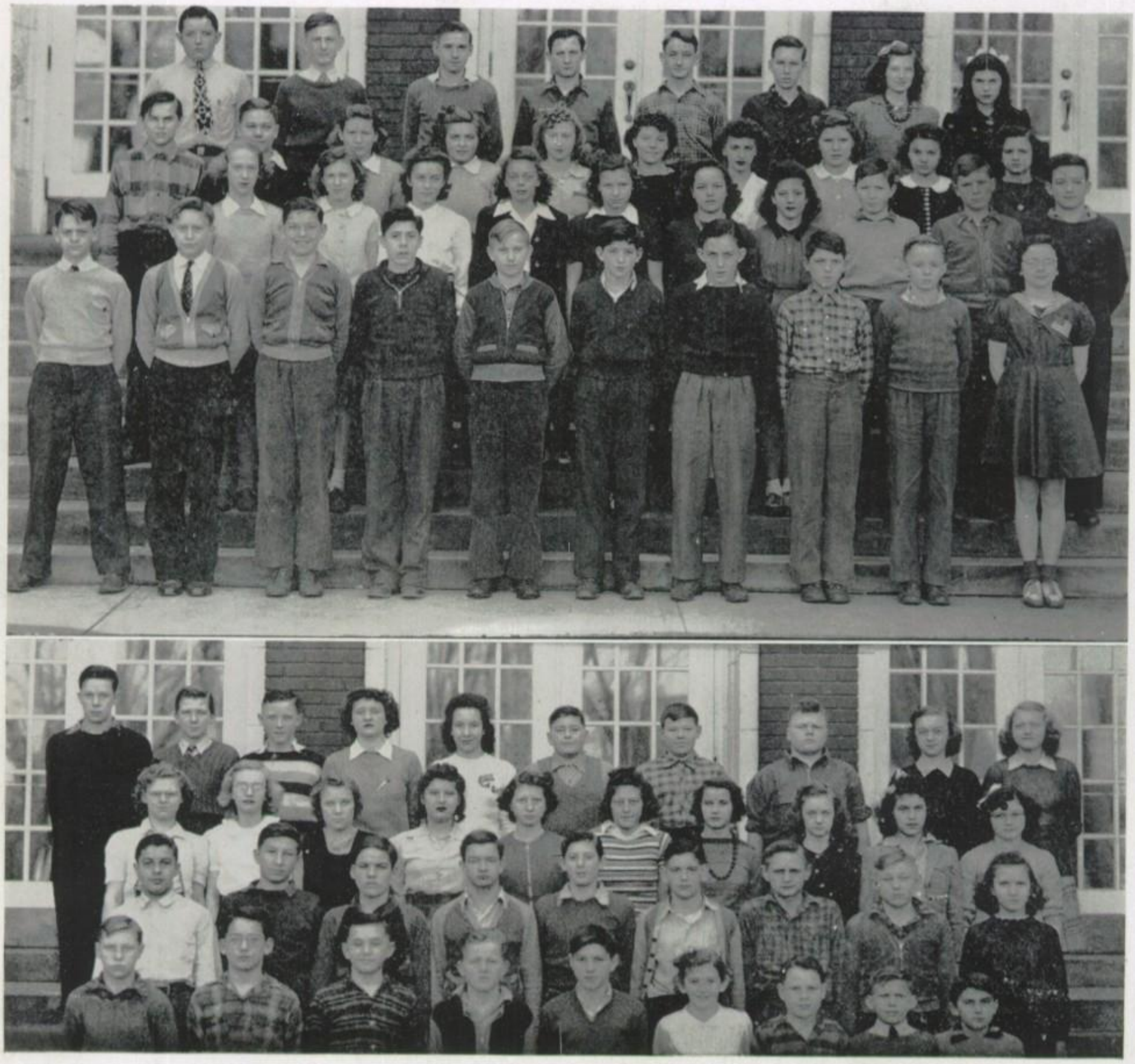

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2nd row—R. Babcock, M. Sattler, V. Funchion, D. Heater, V. M. Kraegel, C. Sausser, M. Vanderbilt

3rd row—C. M. Murphy, L. Polker, P. Shartzer, W. Hockenberry, R. Hoover, P. Johnson, R Bruns, V. Fahringer

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7th row—J Hefflinger, M. E. Knepley, R. Yaney, C. Eisaman, D. Dielman, M. Brink, L. Dachenhaus, R. Grant

8th row—D. Layton, P. Watson, M. Gunter, M. Saneholtz, M. J. French, D. Gisler, E. Panning, J Sturdevant, J. Wolf

How Many More?

Innocence Abroad

Woman At War

Round and Round Goes
Borghild's Plumb

As I Was Saying

CLUBS

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Librarian	Marcella Hoffman

The Napoleon School Band has again completed another very successful season, in spite of losing the services of drill master Mr. John Kapple. Mr. Kapple left last October for a position in our armed services. He didn't, however, leave the spot at all vacant, for Mr. "Mike" Lombardi, able instructor and band director, at once took over and continued the fine work.

Besides furnishing inspiring entertainment for the football and basketball games, the band performed for many delightful concert programs.

Not loosing many of its performers, the band, next fall, should again attain the true greatness that it has built up throughout the past years.

BOYS' GLEE CLUB

President - - - - -	Bill Westhoven
Secretaries - - -	Tom Boyd and Ron Hefflinger
Librarians - - - -	Leon and Luther Genuit

For the first time in several years, Napoleon High School had a boys' glee club. When Miss Habegger issued a call for volunteers, some 92 boys responded. From these, she chose a group of about 65 boys who comprised the boys' glee club.

Many public appearances were made. Among them were our parts in the operetta and the mid-winter concert, appearances before Kiwanis, Farmers Institute, and ather various meetings of farm and business men's organizations held in the auditorium.

Several quartets and small ensembles were formed which entertained the school and community on different occasions throughout the school year.

ORCHESTRA

The High School Orchestra under the very capable direction of Mr. Lombardi has completed another successful season.

They appeared at many meetings and banquets during the year. As usual, they furnished music for the Junior and Senior Class plays and took part in the commencement exercises.

This year the regular practice period was changed from forty-five mniutes to an hour and fifteen minutes. They were given one period a week instead of practicing after school hours. This extra time was a great help and the orchestra really got things done this year.

Girls' Glee Club

President	Vivian Barnett
Vice President	Joan Rieger
Secretary	Gwendolyn Taylor
Treasurer	Mary Irene Roessing
Librarians	Lavern Long, Leah Vorwerk
Accompanist	Ruth Daum
Director	Miss Christine Habegger

The Girls' Glee Club, under the leadership of Miss Christine Habegger has progressed rapidly this year. The enrollment included sixty-one girls, all of whom are ambitious and perservering.

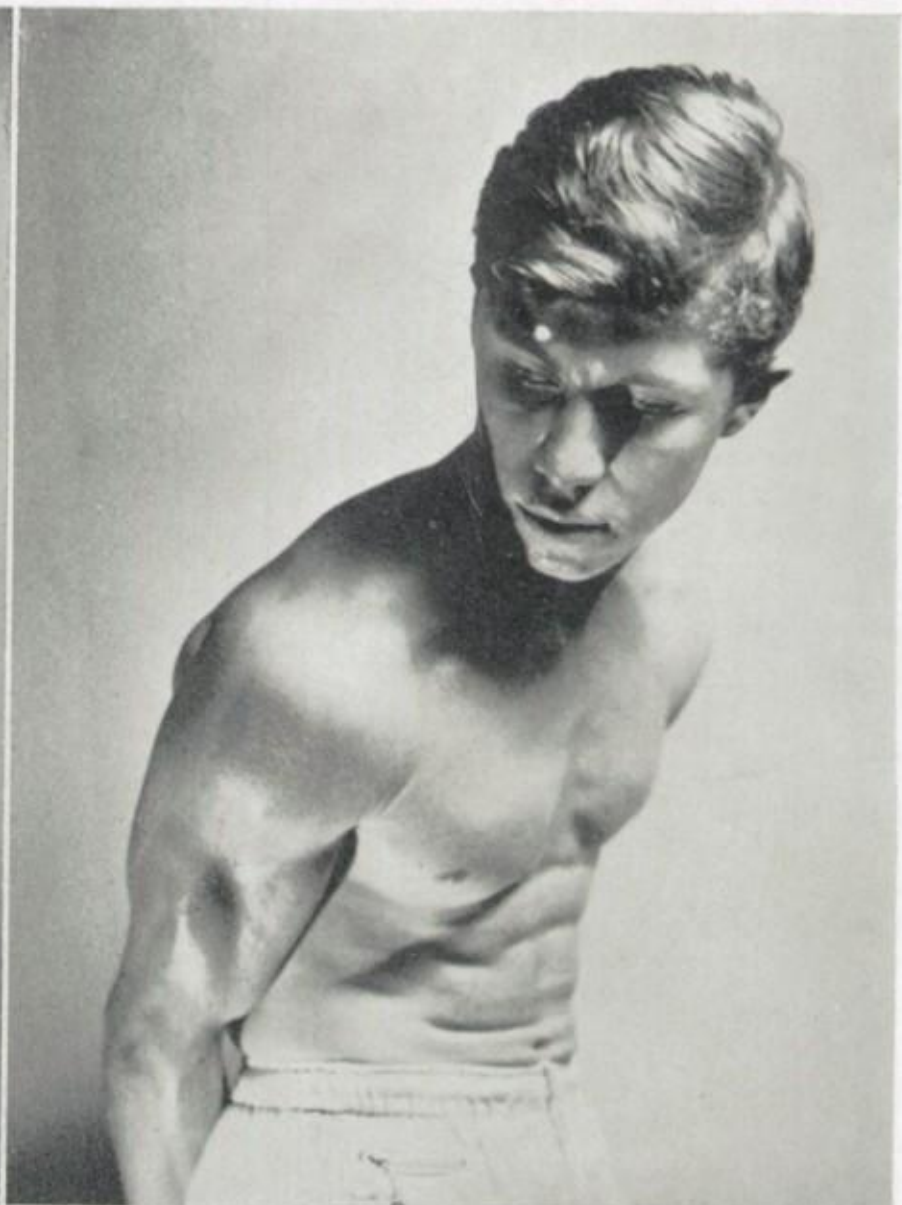
In February the Girls' Glee Club with the Boys' Glee Club presented a program in the auditorium. It was given as one of Napoleon's series of Sunday afternoon concerts.

On April 16, the two groups gave the famous Gilbert and Sullivan operetta, "H. M. S. Pinafore".

A sextette, chosen from the Glee Club girls, made many appearances before the public. "The Three Old Maids", a novelty trio of girls, were also called upon for several repeat performances.

From the comments of citizens it is evident that Miss Habegger has produced an entertaining and talented group of girls.

Well Twirl My Turban
"Old MacDonald"



Hercules
Are You Hurt?

F. F. A.

President	Ronald Hefflinger
Vice President	Eldin Imbrock
Secretary	Junior Harmon
Treasurer	Wilbur Wittenburg
Reporter	Dale Blair
Watch Dog	Bob Harmon

The Napoleon chapter of Future Farmers of America has done very well under the leadership of their new advisor, Mr. Luther W. Howell.

The Vocational Agriculture Department of which F. F. A. is the official organzation, has contributed to the knowledge of the local farmers by putting on demonstrations and holding adult classes. They have furthered the war effort by producing sheep, poultry and dairy products. They have also cultivated and harvested 69 acres of crops successfully.

F. H. A.

President	Betty Thielman
Vice President and Historian	Mae Dille
Secretary-Tresaurer	Edras Allen
Program Chairman	Carolyn Murray
Recreation Chairman	Dorothy Chubb
Advisor	Ruth Galloway

The F. H. A. is an organization which has completed its fourth year in our school. The theme of the club this year was "Live for Victory."

Early in the year thirty-two childrens' nightgowns were made for the Red Cross. Shortly after Christmas, work was begun on 200 arm bands. The junior and senior girls of the club have taken the Red Cross nutrition course which later will entitle them to enter the canteen course. The club purchased a fifty dollar war bond. As you can see the club has done much for the war effort this year and we intend to do twice as much next year.

Hi-Y

President	Fritz Pohlman
Vice President	Bill Westhoven
Secretary	Richard Harrington, Waldo Gerken
Treasurer	Harold Thompson, Don Stough

Working along with the war effort, the Hi-Y under the able eye of Mr. Heckler has again stepped out and taken the initiative in service and social need throughout the school. In confirming this statement the club sponsored several war drives and helped with drives sponsored by the school. The club has provided covers for all magazines coming into the library. Also in the course of the year, it has played host to the District Hi-Y Convention.

Socially, the club is outstanding. It sponsored all of the dances throughout the year. With its interesting programs it provided many happy hours for its members. Many citizens benefited from the club.

G-R

President	Carmen Bond
Vice President	Elaine May
Program Chariman	Mary Ellen Cuff
Secretary	Joan Hoeffel
Treasurer	Rose Ann Howe
Pianist	Claribel Fillinger
Advisors	Miss Kafka, Miss Brooks

The Girl Reserve Club, this year, as in former years, has tried to live up to its code of service. Clothing was both purchased and donated for needy students. One family was made happier by a Christmas basket. The club has also been active in Junior Red Cross work doing such things as sewing, keeping a scrapbook, and a soldiers address file.

A joint Hi-Y-G. R. hayride was held. In addition to this several other parties were held throughout the year.

Forty new members were inducted in February. The girls were initiated and later attended an impressive candlelight ceremony.

Two Girl Reserves members will again be sent to Camp Walbridge this summer where they will receive new ideas to bring back to the club.

The Girl Reserve members will keep the candles burning and the code alive in N. H. S. during the coming year.

NEWS STAFF

Editor - - - - - - Luther Genuit

The School Notes, which appeared weekly in Napoleon newspapers, were again edited by the senior English class, headed by Mr. Johnson.

In selecting articles, the staff was careful to cover all important events and activities in the school, and to limit the notes to subjects which would interest both the public and the students.

Besides maintaining a source of information for the readers, the News Staff also gained valuable experience in journalism.

G. A. A.

President - - - - -	Marjorie Armstrong
Vice President - - - -	Gwendolyn Taylor
Secretary - - - - - -	Mary Lou Hovey
Treasurer - - - - - -	May Dille
Advisor - - - - - -	Miss Jane Brooks

The Girls' Athletic Association is growing. It is going into its thrd year and is beginning to show signs of maturity. More girls than ever before have participated in intramural sports and have received the coveted award of a G. A. A. blue and white monogram.

HALL MONITORS

The hall monitors are the high school students posted at each end of the hall in both buildings. Their purpose is to preserve peace and order in N. H. S.

Primarily their existence is for safety. It is their duty to assist as well as report the injury or illness of any student. Their secondary duty is to help visitors find their way. A third duty is to keep the halls clear of students. Other duties are: running errands, checking bulletin boards, and seeing that locker doors are closed.

Altogether these people are the official errand runners and hall supervisors. They add to the efficiency of any school system.

JUNIOR RED CROSS

President - - - - - -	Vivian Barnett
Vice President - - - -	Mary Irene Roessing
Secretary - - - - -	Mary Lou Farison

In the fall of 1941 the Junior Red Cross was organized to further the schools' war efforts. Its membership includes pupils from the Lutheran, Catholic and public schools. The work of the Chapter is coordinated through executive committees chosen from the high school members.

This year the work of salvage concentrated on the collectiions of tin cans, silk hose and rags.

A construction class repaired toys and made hospital supplies.

News letters were prepared and sent at Christmas time to the man in service, who had attended Napoleon high school. The club, too, is responsible for the school's service flag.

The Chapter is especially proud of its book, "The School at War," an entry in the Gold Brick Contest. Members and faculty advisors supervised and assembled this picture of our school's program during war time.

DEBATE

Fifty-six wins out of 85 debates. This is the admirable record of the varsty debate squad for 1943. The debaters this year participated in the most extensive and successful season in the history of the school.

During the season, Napoleon debaters participated in a total of one hundred and fifty debates and gained many fine records. The A squad went through the Delta Triangle undefeated to win the meet; eight different teams turned in undefeated cards in five tournaments and last, and most important, the varsity sqaud tied for second place in the State District Speech League at Findlay, which placed Napoleon among the ten top schools in the state.

Medals of different types were awarded to seven letterment who returned from last year's squad and ten letters were given to new members. The winners of the intramural debating, Norbert Howe and Harry Laremore, each received a medal for their splendid work. Harry also had the distinction of achieving the finest individual record of the season by winning seventeen out of twenty-one debates and thus attained an average of over .800.

With only three debaters being lost by graduation this year, Mr. Hawver and the debaters are looking forward to a very successful season next year. They plan to compete with some of the largest and toughest schools in the state as they build an even better record than the admirable one established by the debate squads this year.

N-CLUB

The N Club is a group of high school boys who have won varsity letters. Boys who have won letters in football, basketball, track, tennis or who have been managers of the various sports are eligible for membership.

Stephen Foster Singers
Erie Canal Boys

Moronian Minstrel
Girls Octett

This year, Mr. Johnson's speech class again sent students out to entertain the public at meetings at different clubs and organizations. Besides many individual speakers, there were two large groups of entertainers, the Stephen Foster Singers and the Moronian Minstrel. The groups carried a heavy schedule throughout the year. The Morons, from left to right are Parsimmon, Gwendell Van Twillkie, Bottleneck, Sassafrass, the Interlocuter, Sideswipe, Rev. Drinkwater, Jughead, and Hambone. Miss Habegger played for the minstrel.

Two groups from the glee clubs, directed by Miss Habegger, were also busy entertaining the public. They were the Erie Canal Boys and the girls' sextet. These groups showed considerable talent, and became very popular as singers in this community.

GOOD LUCK DEBATERS

SHORT STORIES

A series of short stories were written by Napoleon High School students. These embryo authors, under the supervision of Carl Hawver, local high school teacher, have ganied recognition by having their stories published in the Columbus Citizen. Arlene Klotz was the first student to break into the charmed circle. The others were: Joan Rieger, James Small, Carolyn Murray, Rose Anne Howe, Patricia Hagen, and *Robert Kniffin.

*Robert Kniffin does not appear in the above group.

Athletics

-LACH-

1st row: M. Minnich, T. Boyd, M. Luebker, R. Hefflinger, G. Gurtzweiler, R. Motter, W. Westhoven, L. Wiechers

2nd row: M. Augenstein, J. Fruchey, R. Foster, D. Ingle, D. Pacey, R. Agler, H. Laremore, F. Leifer

3rd row: R Swick, J. Small, A. Perry, R. Weeks, G. Willeman, D. Plassman, N. Kolbe, Mr. Nelson, coach.

4th row: Mr. Andrews, E. Hancock, W. Hoover, J. May, W. Willeman, L. Helberg, C. Higbea, R. Schueler, H. Hoover

Although Coach Nelson started his 1942 football season with seven lettermen, he faced a mighty task in building a winning team for Napoleon High School. How well he succeeded can be gleaned from the record—seven wins, one tie and one loss. The lack of reserve power handicapped the Wildcats all season but they carried on in grand style and bowed to only one, the Defiance Bulldogs, powerhouse of the league.

The seven lettermen to greet Coach Nelson at the start of the season were: Dick Motter, Ronnie Hefflinger, Larry Wiechers, Max Minnich, Gus Gurtzweiler, Marty Luebker and Tommy Boyd, all seniors. Don Ingle, Bob Foster, Bill Westhoven, Jack Fruchey, Whitey Plassman and Fritz Leifer were others of the starting eleven.

The 1942 Wildcat eleven, while failing to win the championship, can be classed among the best teams in Napoleon High School grid history and a major portion of their success must go to Coach Cliff Nelson, who worked patiently and diligently with the boys through many long hours of practice.

1st row:

Mr. Nelson

Dick Motter

Ronnie Hefflinger

2nd row:

Mr. Andrews

Marty Luebker

Larry Wiechers

3rd row:

Tom Boyd

Bill Westhoven

Max Minnich

4th row:

Dave Hockenberry

Don Pacey

Bob Foster

5th row:

Jack Fruchey

Don Ingle

Harry Laremore

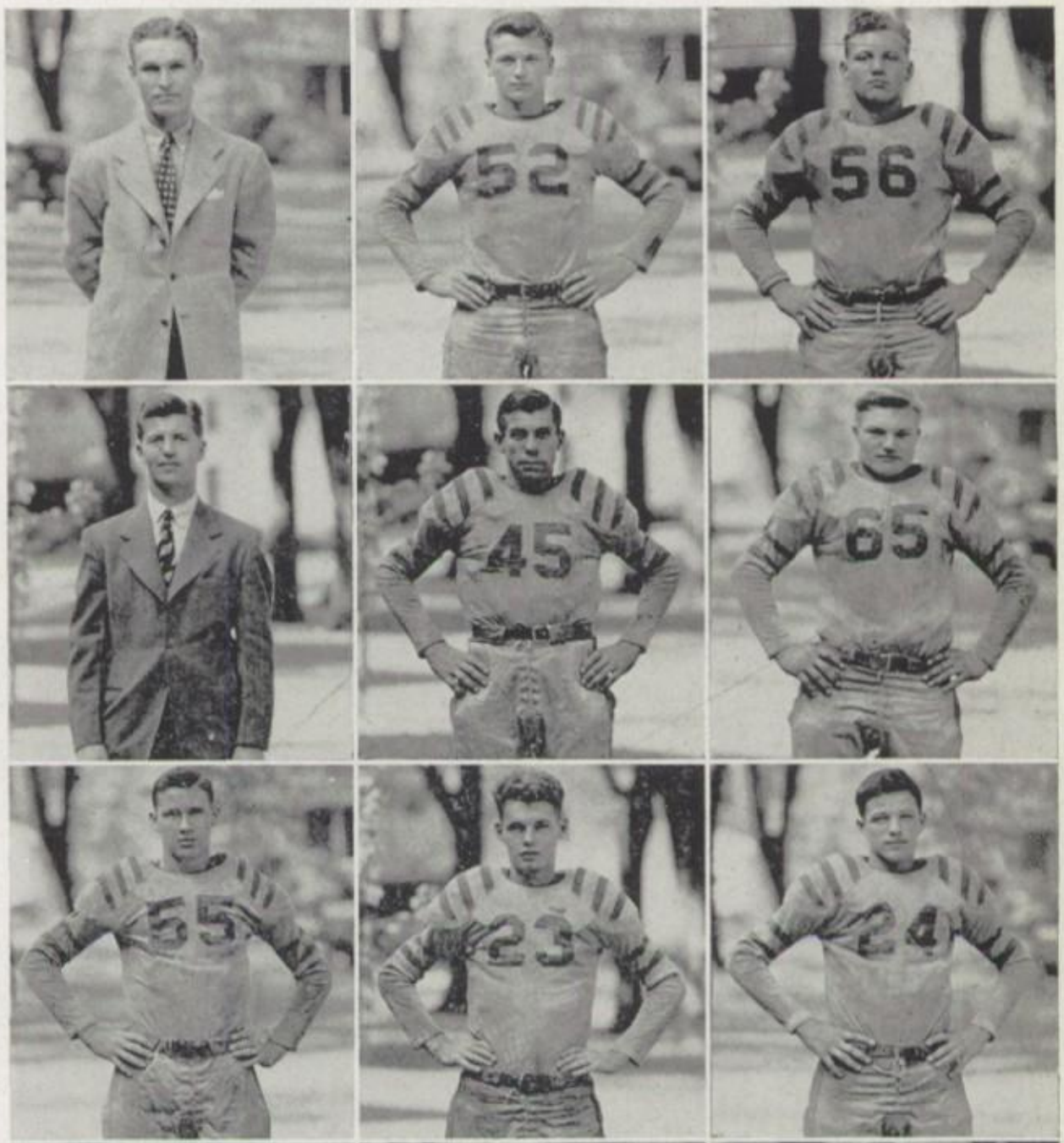
6th row:

Gus Gurtzweiler

Fritz Leifer

Mel Augenstein

* Don Plassman—not pictured.



Napoleon—19	Whitehouse— 6
Napoleon—18	Montpelier— 0
Napoleon— 6	Defiance—34
Napoleon— 7	Liberty Center— 6
Napoleon—12	Delta— 6
Napoleon— 0	Bowling Green— 0
Napoleon—14	Perrysburg— 0
Napoleon—27	Wauseon— 0
Napoleon—12	Bryan— 6

Napoleon 19—Whitehouse 6

The season's opener with Whitehouse was played in mid-summer heat but the Wildcats came floating through for a victory. The Reserves played the entire last quarter.

Napoleon 18—Montpelier 0

Going from one extreme to the other the Wildcats whipped the Locomotives in a downpour of rain by putting on a last half rally that netted three touchdowns.

Napoleon 6—Defiance 34

The Wildcats put up a valiant fight against Defiance and after being behind by one point, 7 to 6 at the half succumbed to sheer power in the latter stages of the game. The score does not tell the story of the terrific battle put up by the Cats.

Napoleon 7—Liberty Center 6

In a typical Napoleon-Liberty battle the Cats had to come from behind to win. although out-playing the Tigers by a big margin. Liberty led at the half 6 to 0.

Napoleon 12—Delta 6

The Wildcats were too sure of this one and almost got clipped. The winning score came near the end of the game when Wiechers picked a Delta pass off the end of his nose to score.

Napoleon 0—Bowling Green 0

Although both teams made plenty of ground neither was able to get into pay dirt. Between the thirty yard stripes everything happened.

Napoleon 14—Perrysburg 0

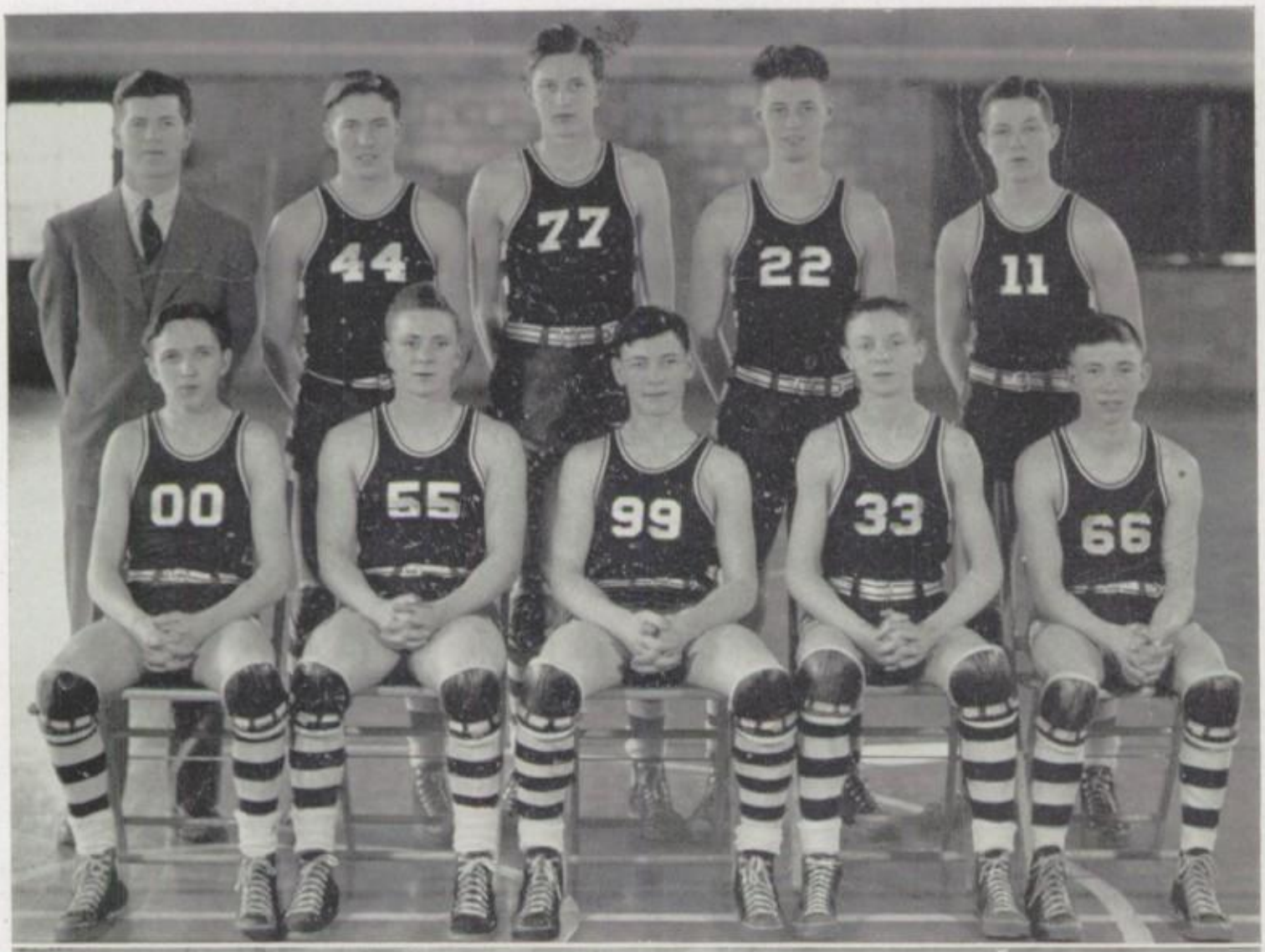
The Wildcats reached their peak in this game. They were a dream team as they seemed to do everything right. Perrysburg never had a chance. The line play was outstanding in this contest.

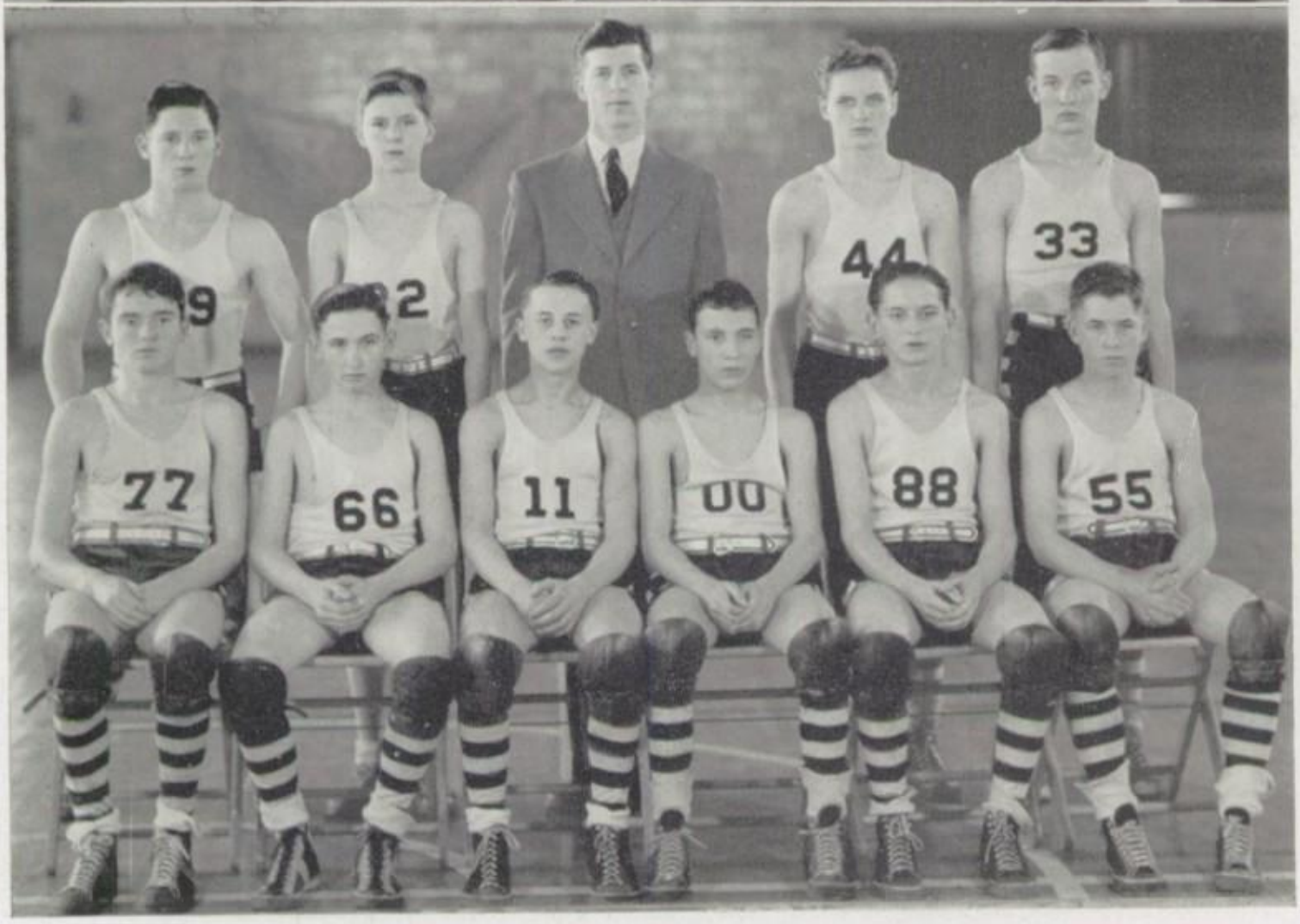
Napoleon 27—Wauseon 0

Scoring once in the first three minutes and twice more before the half ended, the Wildcats had little trouble in snaring this one. The Reserves again saw plenty of action.

Napoleon 12—Bryan 6

Yep! They do'od it. It was a glorious day for the Wildcats as they came roaring from behind to whip the Bears and break an eight year jinx. The field was dry.





VARSITY

Coach Andrews, K. Creager, F. Pohlman, W. Westhoven, M. Minnich, T. McColley, D. Ingle, R. Swick, G Smith, G. Willeman *

RESERVES

M. Augenstein, J. Delventhal, Coach Andrews, J. Small, O. Schlosser, J. Donovan, L. Koppenhoffer, L. Helberg, R. Schueler, H. Hoover, D. Rohrbaugh

* Bob Fister—not pictured.

Mr. Andrews

Mr. Nelson

Max Minnich

Fritz Pohlman

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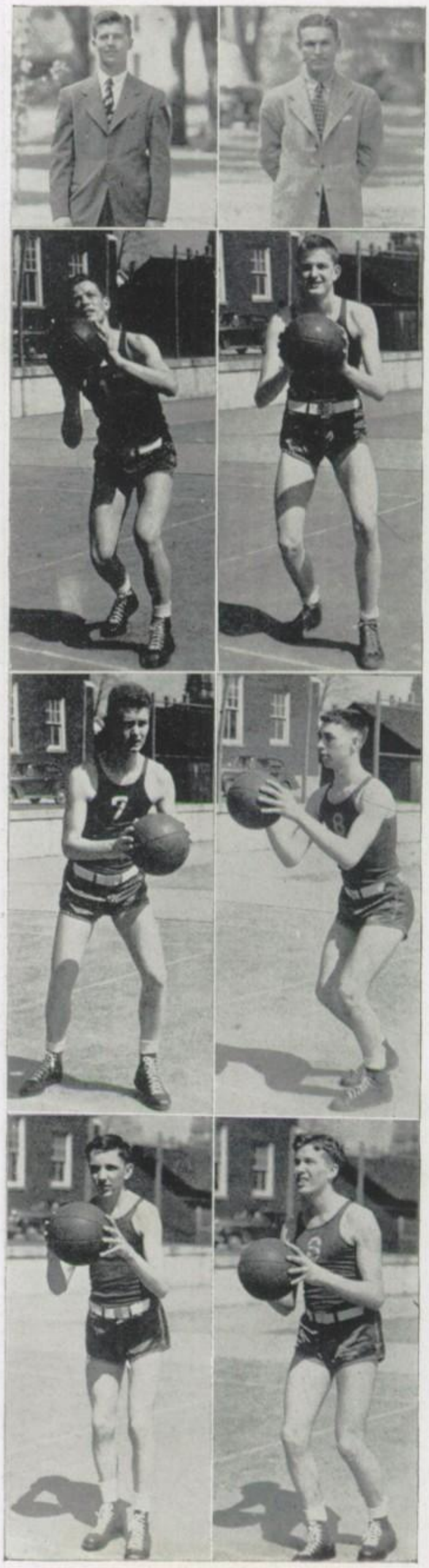
Bob Foster

Tom McColley

Kenneth Creager



*Tom Boyd is a letterman althuogh he does not appear in this group.

Napoleon—47	Defiance—70
Napoleon—27	Wauseon—31
Napoleon—39	Liberty Center—22
Napoleon—40	Bryan—19
Napoleon—22	Pettisville—29
Napoleon—27	Montpelier—39
Napoleon—46	Bowling Green—43
Napoleon—51	Wauseon—63
Napoleon—29	Montpelier—46
Napoleon—25	Defiance—37
Napoleon—33	Liberty Center—18
Napoleon—33	Bryan—39

Napoleon 47—Defiance 70

The Wildcats opened the season at Defiance and after a brilliant first half in which they led the Bulldogs most of the way, they wilted and completely fell an easy victim to the up-river team.

Napoleon 27—Wauseon 31

Playing for the first time before the home town fans, the Cats started out like they really meant business. After holding a 7 point lead at the half they again folded up and the Indians clipped them.

Napoleon 39—Liberty Center 22

Determined to get a victory, the Wildcats held together long enough to outscore the Tigers and break into the win column.

Napoleon 40—Bryan 19

Jumping all over the Bears with the opening whistle, the Wildcats coasted to an easy victory.

Napoleon 22—Pettisville 29

The big Fulton County team snapped the Wildcats winning streak at two games by coming from behind to win.

Napoleon 27—Montpelier 39

The visiting Locomotives chugged into an early lead and the Cats could never catch up. The Cats were weak in their passing.

Napoleon 46—Bowling Green 43

The Cats pulled a big surprise by winning this one and on the Bobcats floor, too. Will wonders never cease??

Napoleon 51—Wauseon 63

In a wild and free scoring game the Wildcats were again clipped by the Indians with Keller setting a new league record of 37 points.

Napoleon 29—Montpelier 46

The Wildcats are enjoying another losing streak. The Locomotives rolled over the Cats with ease after the first quarter.

Napoleon 25—Defiance 37

Defiance again the victor, but the Cats put up a valiant fight until the final gun.

Napoleon 33—Liberty Center 18

The Cats were really bad in this game, but were lucky in the fact that the Tigers were even worse. Passing was off and basket shooting went wild.

Napoleon 33—Bryan 39

Napoleon reached an all-time low as they lost this one. None of the boys could hit.

DISTRICT TOURNAMENT

Napoleon 30—Defiance 49

The Wildcats drew Defiance, the league champions, in the district tournament and bowed for the third time. This was the end of the trail for the Cats, a trail that was rough with many pitfalls, but that's water over the dam. The years will wipe away the sting of the disappointments of this disastrous season. And with this thought we bid adieu, and say good luck and success to those who follow.

OBSTACLE COURSE

Napoleon High School is the proud owner of one of the army's best physical conditioners, an obstacle course. This course is situated behind the central school building in the old canal bed. It is approximately one hundred yards long and consists of two ten foot barriers, a shoulder conditioner, a pit, and several objects that the boys use for tumbling.

Coach Andrews, physical director of the high school, plans to add new and altogether different obstacles in the near future. By co-operating with Coach Andrews, Napoleon High School should be able to set up one of the most efficient courses in the state.

Why Play Athletics?

NOW, more than ever before, athletics are playing an important role in the welfare of human life. These are dark days we are living in, as the war lords roam far and wide over the earth, and it is essential that something remain out of the chaos to serve as a builder-upper of people's morale. To this end athletics are ever working.

Athletics sponsored in our schools and colleges are doing wonders as morale builders as well as building alert minds and strong bodies. The lessons learned from organized athletics are invaluable.

As a morale builder athletics have no peer. It is estimated that at least 75% or more of the reading matter now being sent to our boys in the armed forces here and abroad consists of sports material.

Therefore, it is our fervent prayer that athletics be kept alive in the years to come. For by "keeping athletics alive you help keep America alive."

MAX MINNICH '43

Intramurals

Headline—WOMEN COLLAPSE! WAR WORK HINDERED!

That won't happen to us Napoleon girls who have participated regularly in physical education during the past few years. We have been preparing physically as well as mentally. We can contribute a total fitness to the war effort.

We streamlined our appearance this year by purchasing new dark blue suits topped by a white sailor collar. (Not that we prefer the Navy, those are Napoleon colors.)

Our year's class program included tennis, field ball, volley ball, badminton, basketball, tumbling, folk dancing, softball, track, exercises for physical fitness, ping pong, shuffle-board and dart throwing.

We have an after school program too, and we girls received points for tennis:

Mary E. Cuff, Marge Armstrong, Vivian Mahler, Leah Vorwerk, LaVerne Long, Mary Lou Farison, Sally Donovan, Elaine Fruchey, Elaine Augenstein, Janie Rieger, Evelyn Thornton, Marilyn Gebhardt, Norma Lauterbach, Rita Rae Huddle, Mary Ann Meineke and Norma Gilliland.

In the basketball tournament our Junior team won first place. We helped

win:

Norma Gilliland, Elaine Augenstein, Helen Desgrange, Marie Desgrange, Janet Kanney, Marilyn Gebhardt, Mary Deblin, Lois Mehring, Gwen Taylor, and Rita Rae Huddle.

For May 6th Miss Brooks planned a Play Night which was the highlight of our year. This was an exhibition of basketball, tumbling, folk dancing, rope skipping and exercises for physcal fitness. Did you see us on the tumbling team:

Marilyn Saneholtz, Jackie Quint, Carol Sausser, Rosetta Yaney, Ruth Welstead, Rosemary Weirauch, Marilyn Gebhardt, Norma Gilliland, Rita Rae Huddle, Dorothy Kraegel, Janie Rieger, Norma Anderson, Elaine Fruchey, Betty Gebhardt, Esther Grubaugh, Mary Lou Hovey, Mary Ann Meineke, Eleonora Elling, Norma Hockman, Marilyn Huddle, Marilyn Ruetz, Pat Crahan, Sally Donovan, Dorothy Vajen, Mary Lois Hatch, Dorothy Shumaker, Mae Dille and Mary Ella Knepley.

Maybe you didn't recognize the people who danced the folk dances of the Swiss mountaineers and of the wandering Gypsy bands. We girls tried our best to convince you that we were really these people:

Rosemary Wirick, Joan Shumaker, Odella Ingle, Ruth Miller, Olive Ashenfelter, Beatrice Little, Marjorie Connolly, Marilyn Huddle, Evangeline Nelson, Mary Lois Hatch, Mary Whitchurch, Carolyn Murray, Mae Dille, Ruth Daum, Eleonora Elling and Ruth Louden.

Two All-Star teams were chosen from our five class teams to play, and, as is the custom, two senior girls were chosen captains. We were the lucky ones to make the teams:

Rosemary Davis, Capt.; Vivian Mahler, Capt.; Marilyn Gebhardt, Norma Gilliland, Norma Hockman, Mary Westhoven, Janet Kanney, Rita Rae Huddle, Norma Lauterbach, Joan Deblin, Dorothy Vajen, Marge Fruchey, Esther Grubaugh, Norma Anderson, Mary Deblin, Gwen Taylor, Rosemary Wirick, and Sally Donovan.

SOCIAL LIFE
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Class Prophecy

At the 1953 reunion of the class of '43 held at the famous restaurant "Leon and Keich's" owned by Leon Genuit and Carlton Dietrich, we saw many of our old classmates. First of all, we came across Joan Heilman who had become very rich from the royalties received on a new device she had invented to enable students to get to school on time. Immediately following her was Clayton Vorwerk, the renowned "man about town."

Our first stop was at the table of the famous photographer, Bob Kniffin, and his wife, who had formerly been Carmen Bond. At the same table was Harold Thompson, head of the Elite Plating Works. As we stood there talking, Virgil Fruth drove up in his new Cadillac. Following him closely were the two master mechanics, Virgil Cupp and Bill Perry, who had the job of pushing the car from one place to the next.

James Smith, the master of ceremonies, was proposing a toast to Rosie the Riveter and Winnie the Welder, or, as we knew them in our school days, Valeta Wittenberg and Marjorie Armstrong. The first speaker on the program was Don Stough who lectured on higher mathematics. Then in a lighter mood Marilyn Andrew came onto the floor and showed us a few jitterbug steps which she would be glad to teach you in ten easy lessons at the Andrews Dance School. Her two adept instructors were June Delventhal and Mary Ellen Mengerink.

Joan Rieger had been voted "pin-up" girl for all the leading colleges in the country. She had become a professional model and chose Ronnie Hefflinger as her agent. Max Minnich, a famous athlete from Napoleon, had joined the "Flying Tigers", the best professional football team in the country. The excellent coach for the team was Larry Wiechers, another N. H. S. athlete.

Walt Meyer had joined the Bingling Brothers Circus as a human skelton. The star of the act was Vivian Mahler, who flew thru the air with the greatest of ease and landed—well!

The title of "Three Smart Girls" goes to Rose Anne Howe, Norma Kratzer, and Evelyn Lange, who had all become famous executives in the field of finance. The head of the company, Gerald Gurtzweiler, with the help of his "better half", Betty Creager, ran the entire company and they lost only one million dollars a year compared to the usual two million.

Three more of our old classmates had moved to Defiance. Pat Leonhardt was studying agriculture on a farm just out of Defiance. Margie Fruchey had picked her home on the north side and Laura Hockman was living in the south end of Defiance.

Dave Hockenberry and his wife, the former Lois Sworden, had moved to a farm just outside of Napoleon and devoted their time to farming and keeping their Ford in good running order.

Dick Harrington had gone into the bakery business and now had a chain of bakeries clear across the United States. Tom Spencer and Eddie Hancock bought the two Napoleon theaters and managed them, besides supervising theaters in Defiance, Wauseon, Bowling Green and Holgate.

Many Napoleon High graduates had gone into various branches of the service and received high ratings. Among these were Dick Motter, Tom Boyd, Charles Buckmaster and Bill Perry.

Carolyn Casteel had opened a new store in Napoleon called Casteel's dry-goods store. The bookkeeper she hired was Buzz Farison, who kept all his books in trigonometry so if he was fired no one could read them. Don Gunter revolutionized model "A" Fords so that they were now called model "Z". Junior Harmon and Ernie Rosebrock had gone into the truck farming business and had made a success of it. They supervised while others did the work. Marilyn Reimund had a permanent job as cashier at the State Theatre and had hired Lloma Jean Riggs to make out her reports and keep the books.

The famous dress salon, "La Petite", was operated by Jean Krauss and managed by Helen Kurtz. The bookwork was done by Norma Shelt and their mannequins were Gladys Walker and Vivian Barnett. Claribel Fillinger had become a famous concert pianist in New York.

New York's greatest financier is Fritz (Baron) Pohlman. Lute Genuit is so famous that his high school nick-name "the little genius" has remained. Bob Fleagle and Eldin Imbrock had devised a new system by which they could farm with out land. Marty Luebker had become a debate coach at Lake High School. The Wellington Hotel had a new manager, John Dietrich, another of our old classmates. A special subway had been built from Napoleon to Holgate for the use of Rolf Oberhaus and Jim Curdes. Bill Westhoven had become manager of the Detroit Tigers. Don Pacey spoke to millions of people daily. He sold popcorn and soft drinks at the stadium. The Stockade was owned and operated by Kenneth Ashenfelter, but had been redecorated by Leona Miller, Glendora Blair and Hilda Smith.

Bob Dille and Martha Dietrich had opened a super gas station where everything was done automatically. We discovered national speed typist rating went to Betty Myers. Martha Smith was acting as her agent. Betty Bernius had opened a new diner in south Napoleon and Rosemary Davis helped her manage it. "Roll Away", a new skating rink, had been opened by Marcella Hoffman and Edras Allen.

Rose Marie Reiser and Phyllis Bressler opened a beauty salon and created distinctive coiffures, for the aristocrats of Napoleon. Henry Rothenberger was now manager of Wesche's Furniture Store. The Napoleon High School Machine Shop had been taken over by Bill Hoover, Raymond Dachenhaus, and Russell Agler. The Charles Co. had sold out to Howard Dehnbostel and is now known as the Howard Co. Stores.

Properly Squelched

Navy Tom had broken with his girl. After ignoring several letters requesting the return of her photograph, one came threatening to complain to the captain. Deciding to squelch her for all time, he borrowed all the pictures of girls available on the ship, sending them to her in a large bundle with the following note: "Pick yours out, I've forgotten what you look like."

Miss Steiner: "Johnnie, what did you have for breakfast?"

Johnnie: "Teacher, I et six eggs."

Miss Steiner: "Why Johnnie! You should say 'ate.' "

Johnnie: "Well, maybe it was eight I et."

Mrs. Johnson: "Goodness John, this is not our baby. This is the wrong carriage."

Mr. Johnson: "Shut up. This carriage has rubber tires on it."

A fly yas walking with her daughter on C. D. B.'s head. "How things change, my dear," she said. "When I was your age, this was only a footpath."

Miss Kafka was explaining to her class what was meant by "bigamy."

"It means," she said, "having two wives at one time. Now, can any boy tell me what word means having only one wife?"

"I can, teacher," said Lee Genuit, "monotony."

Too Good!

H. Thompson came to the city and got a job as janitor in a girls' boarding school, and was entrusted with a pass key to every room in the building.

The following week the Dean ran across him and asked, "Why didn't you come around Friday for your pay, Harold?"

"What! Do I get wages, too?"

J. Heilman was hurrying to school, and as she hurried, she prayed. "'Dear God, don't let me be late." Then she happened to stumble and said, "You don't have to shove."

Mr. Nelson: "I want a boy who can count. Now, what are five, six, and three?"

Caddie: "Five, six, and three, sir? Eleven, sir."

Mr. Nelson: "Come on. You'll do."

A woman found a fly in her soup and said crossly, "Waiter, what is that?"

J. Palmer: "That, Madame, is a Vitamin Bee."

B. Westhoven: "What are you wearing your glasses to bed for?"

F. Pohlman: "I want to get a better look at that gal I dreamed about last night."

Bye Now

M. Minnich: "Nurse, you've been with that handsome patient in 408 over an hour."

P. Leonhardt: "Don't stop me now. I've got to get a thermometer."

M. Minnich: "Gosh, is he running a temperature?"

P. Leonhardt: "No, but I am."

"Who broke that chair in the parlor last evening, Betty?"

"It just collapsed, all of a sudden father, but neither one of us was hurt."

Mr. Rohrbaugh: "Now Tom, if I lay three eggs here and five eggs here, how many eggs will I have?"

Tom Spencer: "I don't believe you can do it, sir."

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Book Agent: "Have you Charles Dickens in your house?"

Housewife: "No!"

Book Agent: "Or Robert Louis Stevenson, or Walter Scott?"

Housewife: "No, we ain't. What's more, I don't take in boarders. Try next door, they do."

Poem of the Month: Jack had money; Jill had nil. Jill married Jack, so Jack had Jill. Jill went to Reno; now she's back. Jack has nothing, but Jill has Jack.

Paul Walters walked into Red and Teds and asked for an ice cream soda. Gus presented the drink, all done up with a cherry and two straws. After a few minutes, Paul called Gus and said, "Mind ef I take them holler sticks out? They keep a-knockin' my hat off."

"Before I heard the doctors tell
The dangers of a kiss,
I had considered kissing you
The nearest thing to bliss.
But now I know Biology
And sit and sigh and moan,
Six million mad bacteria—
And I thought we were alone!"

"H. M. S. Pinafore"

Under the direction of Miss Habegger, the well-known Gilbert & Sullivan operetta "H. M. S. Pinafore" was presented April 14 and 16, with more than 100 students participating. It was very successful, and afforded much entertainment to the large crowds that attended the performance both nights.

The curtain rose on the crew of the H. M. S. Pinafore getting ready for a tour of inspection by Sir Joseph Porter, K. C. B., Admiral of the British Navy. Among them is Ralph Rackstraw, a handsome lad, though only a common seaman. He is in love with Josephine, the captain's beautiful daughter, who will have nothing to do with a sailor so far below her rank.

Sir Joseph arrives, surrounded by his favorite cousin, Hebe, and all his admiring sisters, cousins and aunts. He hints that the real reason for his visit is to seek Josephine's hand in marriage. Ralph hears of this, and is inspired to tell the haughty Josephine of his honest love for her. She spurns him at first, but when he is about to take his life, she confesses that she loves him too. They plan to elope, with the help of the crew and the female relatives. Unfortunately Dick Deadeye, the villian of the crew, overhears the plot and tells the captain. They succeed in stopping the lovers, and in reprimanding Ralph. Captain Corcoran uses a very strong word. Sir Joseph hears him, and sends him to his cabin, immediately thereafter sending Ralph to a dungeon. Little Buttercup, a poor bumboat woman, who has always loved the captain, confesses a crime of long ago, when she had exchanged Ralph and the captain in childhood. This changes Ralph's position from that of common seaman to Captain of the Pinafore, and Captain Corcoran from captain to common seaman. After this severe drop in Josephine's rank, Sir Joseph refuses to marry her, and Ralph and Josephine are finally united. The captain's low rank now enables him to ask Little Buttercup to be his wife, and Sir Joseph has to be content with his adoring cousin, Hebe. The curtain falls with the prospect of a triple wedding and the H. M. S. Pinafore sails on.

Cast

Sir Joseph Porter, K. C. B.	Luther Genuit
Captain Corcoran	Guy Smith
Ralph Rackstraw	Mel Augenstein
Jsoephine, the Captain's daughter	Joan Rieger
Little Buttercup	Lois Mehring
Dick Deadeye	Bob Foster
Boatswain	Charles Snyder
Cousin Hebe	Marilyn Gebhardt
Midshipmate	Don Ingle
Carpenter's Mate	Clayton Vorwerk
Accompanist	Ralferd Freytag

"Tiger House"

Erma Lowrie - - -	Joan Heilman, Pat Leonhardt
Aunt Sophia - - -	Arlene Klotz, Claribel Fillinger
Peggy Van Ess - - -	Marilyn Andrew, Vivian Mahler
The Mystery Woman - -	Carmen Bond, Rose Marie Reiser
Thompson - -	Max Minnich, Ronnie Hefflinger
Oswald Kerins - -	Fritz Pohlman, Clayton Vorwerk
Arthur Hale - - - - - - - -	James Smith
Yami - - - - - -	Leon Genuit, Luther Genuit
Mrs. Murdock - - -	Marcella Hoffman, Betty Bernius
MacIntosh - - - -	Bill Westhoven, Virgil Fruth

This year's Senior Class Play, "Tiger House," was very unusual and different from any of the class plays of the past. Throughout the entire play the feeling of mystery and uncertainty prevailed. The scenery and setting was very effective and appropriate.

Erma Lowrie, a young business girl inherited a fortune from her Aunt Sylvia, but in order to inherit the estate it was necessary for her to live in "Mystery Manor" for two years. It seemed that the house was very definitely haunted by the mysterious happenings that went on there. But in the end the culprit was found and it was discovered that he had been trying to scare everyone away from the house so he could search for a diamond necklace that was hidden somewhere on the premises.

The play was double cast and was held on May 20th and 21st in the High School Auditorium. On both nights the audience was very appreciative and attentive throughout the entire play. A great deal of credit for the success of the play goes to our capable director, Mr. Johnson, and his assistant, Mr. Heckler. Presentations were made to both Mr. Johnson and Mr. Heckler after the last performance.

"Swing Fever"

"Swing Fever" was presented by the Junior class Wednesday and Friday nights, March 24th and 26th in the high school auditorium. There was a double cast for the juniors again this year. The characters and who played each part are listed below in the order of their appearance. The name which appears first played the first night and the second mentioned on the second night.

Alexander Norris	Charles Snyder
Polly Becker	Muriel Bond, Donna Box
Mrs. Grimm	Della Luebker, Marie Dulle
Phillip Norris	Donald Ingle, Robert Foster
Amy Norris	Rita Huddle, Betty Thielman
Mrs. Norris	Gwendolyn Taylor, Lois Mehring
Tootsie Norris	Barbara Bell, Alice Taylor
Grandpa Fuller	Gerald McAllister, Harry Laremore
Miss Spencer	LaVerne Long, Ernestine Hess
Miss Slocum	Evelyn Thornton, Elaine Augenstein
Morgan Maxwell	Richard Speicer, Waldo Gerken
Jake Richards	Vincent Reichert, Jack Fruchey
Penny Palmer	Mary Roessing, Marilyn Gebhardt

Do You Remember—

Sept. 8—School opens—vacation days are over.

Sept. 17—Speech assembly—Buy an activity ticket?

Sept. 18—First assembly—H. Cleaves lectures on "Animals at Night". Also first football game. Victory over Whitehouse was ours.

Sept. 25—Another win—Montpelier football game.

Oct. 1—N. H. S. students hold up traffic with a snake dance—a big success.

Oct. 2—Defiance football game. You tried, fellas. Better luck next time.

Oct. 5—Scrap drive starts—everything from irons to swords. N. H. S. is in war effort, too

Oct. 9—Nice going, team. We licked Liberty Center in a close game.

Oct. 16—Delta football game. We almost lost that one.

Oct. 19—A blue Monday—grade cards.

Oct. 20—The school goes military with "The Spirit of Culver"—a movie.

Oct. 23—Volunteer pep rally. Bowling Green game. Score? A tie.

Oct. 27—Assembly—Hi-Y—their sixteenth anniversary—Congratulations. A swell party—Hi-Y—G-R hayride. The moon, the food and the singing was wonderful.

Oct. 29—Perrysburg game—another win—the future champions of the league

Oct. 30—Vacation—Wonderful! ! Teacher's meeting in Toledo.

Nov. 2—"My freshman score was better than this one." Seniors take psychological tests.

Nov. 3—Sighs of relief—the freshman psychological tests are over.

Nov 10—"Won't you join?" Junior Red Cross assembly.

Nov. 11—Hooray—a single session—Armistice Day—a minute of silence. Wauseon football game—a pushover.

Nov. 17—No one in the halls this noon—a free noon movie on South America.

Nov. 20—That's no fair—Special program for the Glee Clubs.

Nov. 25—Assembly—Glee Clubs make first appearance. A swell pep rally—the walls shook.

Nov. 26—"Revenge is sweet". We beat Bryan 12-6 and no MUD.

Nov. 30—It takes a lot of wind—Howell family of glass blowers. School starts at 9:30—only one hour at noon.

Dec. 8—War movies—"Ohio State University and the War" and "Army Air Corps."

Dec. 9—More movies—"The Tanks are Coming" and "Air Raid Warden". Junior class rings are in. Superior seniors say, "Why the fuss? They won't have them long."

Dec. 11—An important date—Seniors elect officers. First basketball game—Defiance. They sure took us. Never mind, we'll fix them.

Dec. 14—Something new! The Glee Clubs practice on school time.

Dec. 16—Grade school operetta. We couldn't have done better ourselves—a packed house. Juniors elect officers.

Dec. 18—Speech assemblies are popular. A Stephen Foster and Moronian Minstrel Skit. The next mayor of the "poluted city"—Luther Genuit. Wauseon basketball game—another win—for somebody else.

Dec. 23—Concert by Glee Clubs—"White Christmas" sounded neat. My hero—football letters awarded. Swing music—gliding couples—first dance. Orchestra? Royal Hep Cats, of course.

Dec. 24—Vacation starts.

Jan. 4—I hate to get up in the morning—School starts again. Boys start new stile in hats—Derbies.

Jan. 6—"School teaching is my profession." Seniors get results of occupational tests.

Jan. 7—Where did that rabbit go? Mr. Campbell—magician.

Jan. 11—School lasts 'till 4:00 some days. The last fifteen minutes are terrible.

Jan. 13—We lost to Pettisville in basketball.

Jan. 15—Montpelier game. By the way, who won the fight after the game?

Jan. 19—Feature movie—"Union Pacific". The peanuts and candy tasted good even if the auditorium was a mess.

Jan. 20—Super-colossal! ! We took Bowling Green in basketball.

Jan. 21—Students perform at Sharon Institute.

Jan. 22—Sweet music fills the air—Band concert.

Jan. 22—What is Algeria like? Mr. Pond told us in assembly.

Feb. 1—Student teachers arrive.

Feb. 3—Assembly—movie on vitamins

Feb. 5—"What's the matter? They're stopping in the middle of the piece." Glee Clubs rehearse in assembly.

Feb. 7—Curtain! Applause! Glee Clubs present Sunday afternoon concert.

Feb. 12—Liberty Center game—another win. Silence—pigtails—different colored anklets—G. R. initiation.

Feb. 16—"These things can be made from plastics." Mr. Johnson gives lecture on "Chemistry and Your Future."

Feb. 18—The bells ring—only half the school is present—big fire in Napoleon. School starts at 10:30.

Feb. 19—Bryan basketball game—we lost by a margin.

Feb. 22—Hi-Y plays host to Conference. Oh, those good-looking boys.

Feb. 24—Which time is Napoleon on? School clocks moved back an hour.

Mar. 10—"Fantasia" sponsored by Hi-Y.

Mar. 11—In Columbia the men stop and stare at pretty girls instead of whistling—Commander Fallon—lecturer.

Mar. 24-26—Junior class play "Swing Fever". Orchids to the juniors—a swell job.

Mar. 30—Skipped three periods for a movie—"The Sun Never Sets" sponsored by the annual staff.

Apr. 1—Buy a war bond? Speech assembly.

Apr. 6—Movie "Tower of London." Chills ran up and down our backs.

Apr. 14-16—High school operetta "H. M. S. Pinafore". Hebe finally cornered the Admiral. "Oh, bliss, oh rapture."

Apr. 20—Assembly—Deep River Singers.

Apr. 22—Oh, gosh, only two days vacation for Easter.

Apr. 30—Band concert—the last concert for many seniors.

May 7—Recognition assembly—Honor to whom honor is due.

May 20-21—Senior exams—We're really sorry exams are over.

May 23—Baccalaureate—a service long to be remembered.

May 27—Commencement—an inspiration.

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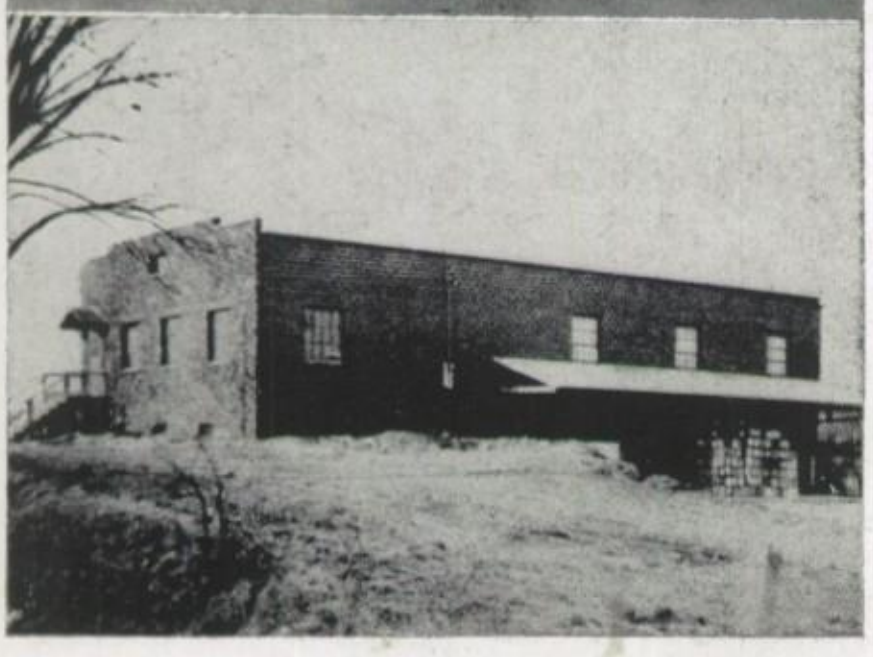

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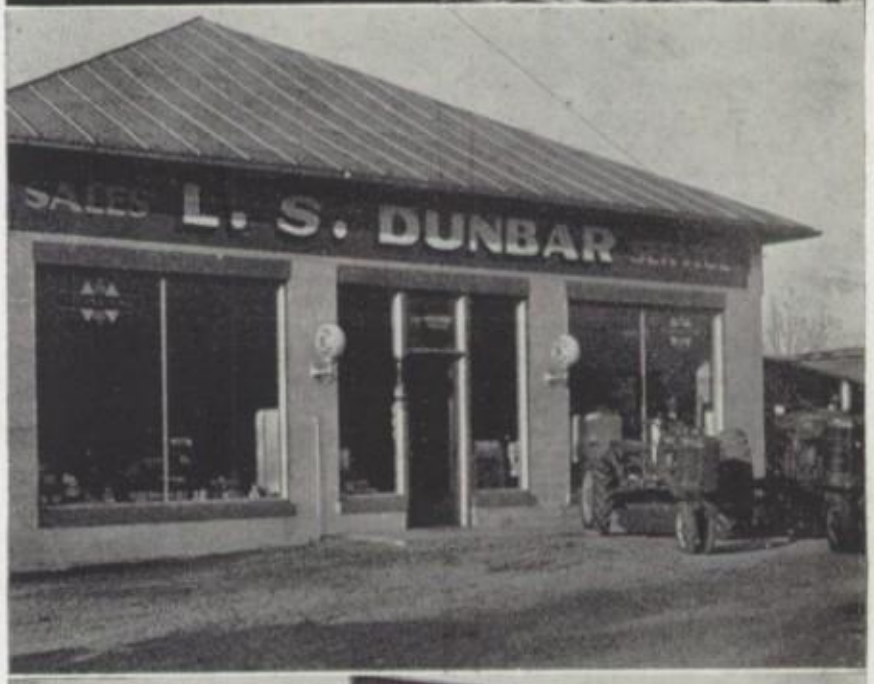

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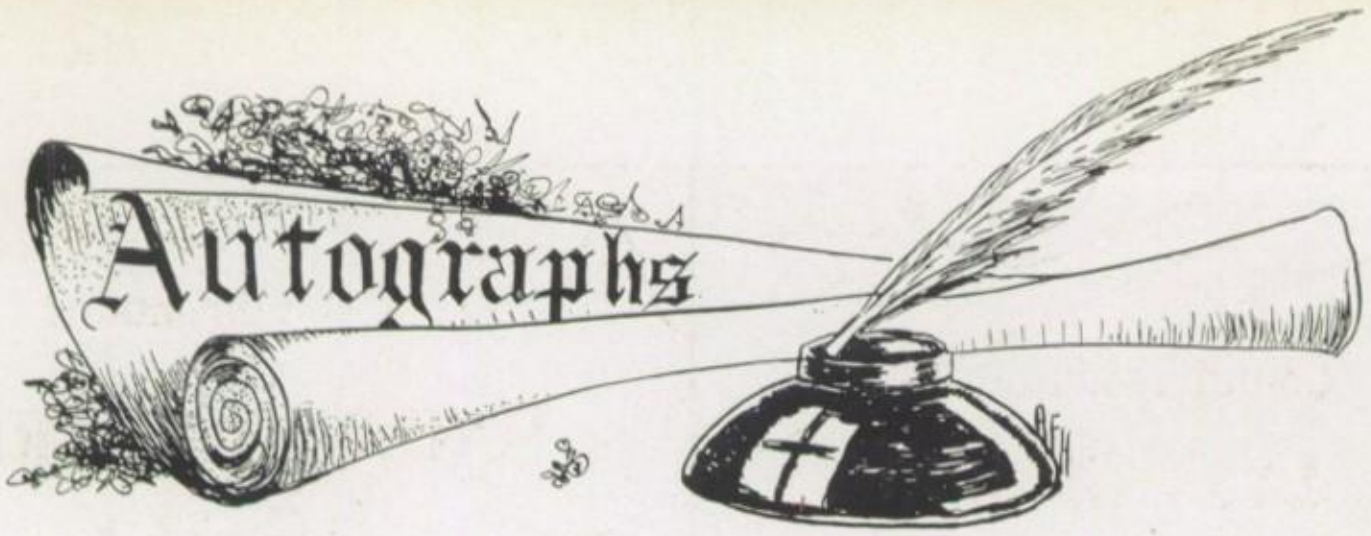

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